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NO LETUP IN ALL-OUT AIR WAR

GERMAN OBJECTIVES HEAVILY BATTERED AS NEW WEEK OPENS

RAF NIGHT ATTACKS EXPLODE AMMUNITION AND BLOW UP RAILROADS

By RICHARD McMURRAY
Associated Press War Editor

A thousand American planes battered the Germans today in their invasion battlements in Northern France extending the ceaseless aerial offensive in its 17th consecutive day. Half the planes were heavy bombers and enemy defense was negligible.

In heavy, concentrated attacks last night, the RAF exploded an ammunition dump at Maintown, 37 miles southwest of Paris, and blew up railroads near the French capital at Acheres and at Somain near Lille. Western Germany was hit, waters were mined; the loss was a single British plane.

From the South, Allied Mediterranean air forces bombed the leading Italian port of Genoa for the third straight night. Livorno and Monfalcone near Trieste also were attacked, by daylight. By daylight, 500 heavy bombers based on Italy struck an aircraft factory at Milan Sunday and numerous other targets in Northern Italy. The blows fell as 3,000 other Allied planes, 1,000 of them U. S. heavy bombers, pounded invasion targets in France. At least 30 German fighters were destroyed yesterday, along with 11 Allied planes from Britain and Italy.

Record Month Pounded Out

The cloud-darkening Sunday assaults rounded out the record month of April in which 100,000 tons of Allied bombs staggered the Germans anxiously awaiting assault in Europe Lt. Gen. James Doolittle said the U. S. Eighth air force alone destroyed 1,300 Nazi fighters—"substantially more than the entire German aircraft production for the month. The Eighth lost 359 bombers and 144 fighters in April.

While Russia mighty armies were regrouping and waiting for ground to dry for summer campaigns, Marshal Stalin declared in a May Day message that simultaneous onslaughts from the East and West would finish off "the wounded German beast in his own den.'

Praised Allied Operations

He praised Allied bombings, the supply of war materials and the operations in Italy which he said were diverting a considerable part of German army from Russia. He advised Romania, Finland, Hungary and Bulgaria to overthrow

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BENEFICIAL RAINS FELL OVER COUNTY DURING WEEK-END

SOME LAND BADLY WASHED BUT CROPS AND PASTURES ARE AIDED

Hard, blowing rains Saturday and Sunday brought needed top soil moisture for farmers of Navarro county. All crops and pastures will be benefitted and land will be put in fine shape for further cultivation.

H. C. Robinson, county agent, said Monday morning that some land was badly washed, but the rains were fine for corn, oats and pastures. Some parts of the county, he said, were needing the rain while others were not.

Frost, Bloomng Grove, Barry, Purdon, Dawson, Richland, Eureka, Roane, Kerens, Powell, Rice, Emhouse and other sections reported heavy rains Saturday afternoon and Sunday afternoon. No hail was reported in the county, and no material damage was done by the high winds that accompanied the rains.

Major creeks were overflowing Monday morning and considerable damage is expected to crops in the low lands.

Highways were open in all sections of the county except to Palestine via Cayuga.

The rainfall in Corsicana for the 48-hour period was 3.66 iches. 1.86 Sunday morning and 1.80 Monday morning. The guage at the city lake degistered 4.43 inches for the same period.

The lake was reported the highest it has been in some time and water was flowing over the spillway like a mill race.

Paved streets in Corsicana were flooded Saturday and Sunday afternoons. In some sections the water ran upon the sidewalks. Numerous cars were drowned out by the downpour Saturday afternoon.

Sgt. Walter Farmer Is German Prisoner

Technical Sgt. Walter Farmer, 20, USAAF, England, missing in action over Germany since March 20, is a prisoner in Germany, according to a telegram received Sunday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Farmer, 817 West Park avenue, Corsicana, from the war department. The message said a government monitor picked up short wave broadcast from Germany, giving Farmer's name and home address.

Second Oak Leaf Cluster To Air Medal Is Awarded



S-Sgt Dewey L Rhoads

An Eighth AAF Bomber Station England, May 1—(Special)—Staff Sgt. Dewey L. Rhoads, 20, 623 North Beaton street, Corsicana, Texas, has been awarded the second Oak Leaf Cluster to his Air Medal.

The presentation was made by his group commander, Col. Hunter Harris, Jr. He is the waist gunner on the ship "Picadilly Ann" at this Eighth AAF Flying Fortress base in England.

Sgt. Rhoads is the son of Mrs. Ruth Rhoads of the Corsicana, Texas address.

Prior to entering the AAF in November, 1942, Sgt. Rhoads, a Corsicana high school graduate, was employed as a stock clerk. He received his gurner's wings in July 1943.

The citation read: "For exceptionally meritorius achievement, while participating in five separate bomber combat missions over enemy occupied continental Europe. The courage, coolness and skill displayed by Sgt. Rhoads upon these occasions reflect great credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States."

EVERY PRISONER OF WAR ESCAPING FROM CAMPS RECAPTURED

REPORTS SHOWS EIGHTH SERVICE COMMAND AREA HAS CLEAN RECORD

By WILLIAM C. BARNARD

DALLAS, May 1.—(AP)—Every prisoner of war who has escaped from camps in the Eighth Service Command has been recaptured.

Col. Daniel B. Byrd, who supervises prisoner of war camps in the five-state area, said today that "all escapees have been captured and the record is straight."

The announcement, coming after a month in which at least 25 escaped Nazi prisoners were caught, served to point out difficulties which face the war-prisoner on the loose.

His language and his looks are against him but most of all he faces the vastness of the Southwest.

"They just don't understand the size of this country," the colonel remarked. "They get away but they don't get far."

Most Nazis when caught have been hungry, thirsty and tired They have offered their captors no resistance.

On March 29 nine Nazis got away from Camp Barkeley, Abilene, in one of the smoothest escapes on record. They dug a

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Red Army May Be Getting Ready For New Offensive

LONDON, May 1.—(AP)—The Soviet government newspaper Izvestia suggested today that the lull on the Russian front, attributed to weather and Red army regroupings, would end soon and that a new offensive would burst on the Germans "with the force of a hurricane."

The Germans are now "trying to guess where the next blow will fall," the newspaper declared as a Soviet communique reported that the land front lull had entered its second week without any important changes.

The bulletin said local Nazi attacks were thrown back southeast of Stanislawow in the Carpathian foothills and north of Iasi on the Romanian front. It added that Soviet naval units in the Black Sea sank two or three German transports attempting to leave besieged Sevastopol.

A Berlin broadcast said German troops had carried out successful counter-attacks north of Iasi.

The Soviet communique also said that Soviet bombers touched off big fires and explosions in an attack on the Idritso rail junction near the Latvian border and a nearby airdrome Saturday night.

PARTS EAST TEXAS BATTERED BY HEAVY RAINS AND WINDS

WEEK-END RAINS, HOWEVER, BENEFITED OTHER SECTIONS OF STATE

(By The Associated Press.)

The Trinity and Brazos watersheds, where damaging rains fell yesterday (Sunday), faced scattered showers again today. Beneficial rains covered a portion of the hill country west of Austin, but most of the plains country was slighted. A local shower, .85, fell around the winter garden's spinach-growing Crystal City, but the Dallas office of the weather bureau reported no rain in the valley, where soil was parched and river water was low.

The Austin weather bureau office said rains ranging from 2 to 4 inches occurred in Mills, San Saba, Llano, Mason, Menard and McCulloch countries, resulting in great benefit to crops and ranges and also to the lower Colorado river authority reservoirs. Austin received .29 inch moisture, welcomed by gardeners. The river at Marble Falls was five feet above normal this morning.

Farmers and ranchmen in the Big Spring area were hopeful when rain started there this morning. The area was overcast.

Heavy At Trinidad

Dallas had 3.06 precipitation in a 48 hours and Trinidad, also on the Trinity, had 5 inches in 24 hours. "Moderate" flood conditions prevailed on the upper Trinity, but "nothing to be alarmed about," said the weather bureau. Livestock raisers had been advised to see that cattle went to high ground.

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REPEAL OF PRIMARY ELECTION LAW URGED ON TEXAS DEMOCRATS

ATTORNEYS FOR DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SEEK REHEARING

AUSTIN, May 1—((AP))—Repeal of the primary election law and a return to the convention system of nominating candidates, discarded in 1906, was proposed today by former Governor Dan Moody as the only certain way to circumvent a U. S. Supreme Court Court decision opening Democratic primary elections to Negro participation.

Moody made the proposal, in a formal statement, coincidentally with announcement that he and Wright Morrow of Houston, attorneys for the Democratic State Executive committee, had prepared arguments in support of a rehearing in the court's decision.

Moody said a reversal of the decision is "only a hope, and likely a forlong hope.

"If there is any desire upon the part of the people to avoid the consequences of the decision in this case, they will do better to look to a session of the legislature. Therein lies certainty," he said.

Rehearing Chances Remote

Moody added the Supreme Court seldom grants a rehearing and "the prospects of a rehearing being granted in this case and the majo-

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Stalin Predicts Two-Way Invasion Hitler's Europe

LONDON, May 1.—(AP)—Premier Marshal Joseph Stalin, in a May Day pronouncement, declared today that the Red army and the allied armed forces must launch simultaneous onslaughts from east and west to finish off "the wounded German beast x x x in his own den."

"There can bo no doubt that only a combined blow such as this will be able finally to crush Hitlerite Germany," Stalin declared in a broadcast order of the day which praised the allies for their "considerable contribution" to past Russian successes.

Stalin said that "under the blows of the Red Army, the bloc of fascist states is cracking and tumbling down," and exhorted the peoples of Romania, Hungary, Finland and Bulgaria to "take the matter of their liberation from the German yoke into their own hands."

The Red army's task cannot be limited to throwing the Germans out of Russian soil, he declared, "a wounded beast who has gone into his lair does not cease to be a dangerous one."

Stalin said that American and British troops "are holding the front against the Germans in Italy and are diverting a considerable part of the German froces from us. They supply us with very valuable strategic raw materials and armaments and subject to systematic bombing military objectives in Germany, thus undermining the military power of the latter."

FIRST ALL-AMERICAN TANK UNIT THROWN INTO BURMA FIGHT

GEN. STILWELL HAS GAINED STRENGTH IN PAST TWO YEARS

By RICHARD C. BERGHOLZ
Associated Press War Editor.

Two years ago today, Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell and his beaten allied troops started their retreat from Burma. Today, allied headquarters chose the anniversary to announce the first all-American tank unit to see action on the Asiatic continent has entered the battle against Japan's supply system in Northern Burma.

The announcement testiifed to the growing strength of Stilwell's forces and the expanding success of his campaign to smash the effectiveness of the Mandalay-Myitkyina railroad and to carve a new land route from Ledo, India, to the old Burma road and thus re-open the overland supply line to China.

Stilwell's jungle fighters are within 45 road miles of the railroad terminus, Myitkyina, and within 44 miles of the important junction of Mogaung, 40 miles west of Myitkyina toward Mandalay.

Clean-up of Japs Progresses.

Headquarters reported progress in the clean-up of Japanese around Kohima, farthest point of the Japanese invasion of India, and a spokesman said the enemy, confronted with serious "loss of face" if the Indian invasion collapses, is massing for an all-out drive for the important allied base at Imphal, 60 miles south of Kohima.

The combined allied operations on the India-Burma front, aimed at speeding the flow of men and material for China's defense and ultimately for an attack on Japan, can't reach fruition too soon for the Chinese.

Japs Breach Chinese Defenses.

Japanese forces have breached Chinese defenses of historic Hulao Pass, gateway to Loyang in Northern China, after an eight-day battle. Chinese headquarters indicated the enemy may attempt a full-scale push immediately on Loyang. Other Japanese are driving on Hsuchang, 50 miles south of captured Chenghsien, but Chinese troops are reported to have

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Tickets On Sale Benefit Show For Wounded Soldiers

Half-way mark in the sale of 1000 tickets to the benefit picture show for McCloskey Hospital sunrooms has been passed, according to Miss Adlyn Hays of the Business and Professional Women's Club, sponsoring organization.

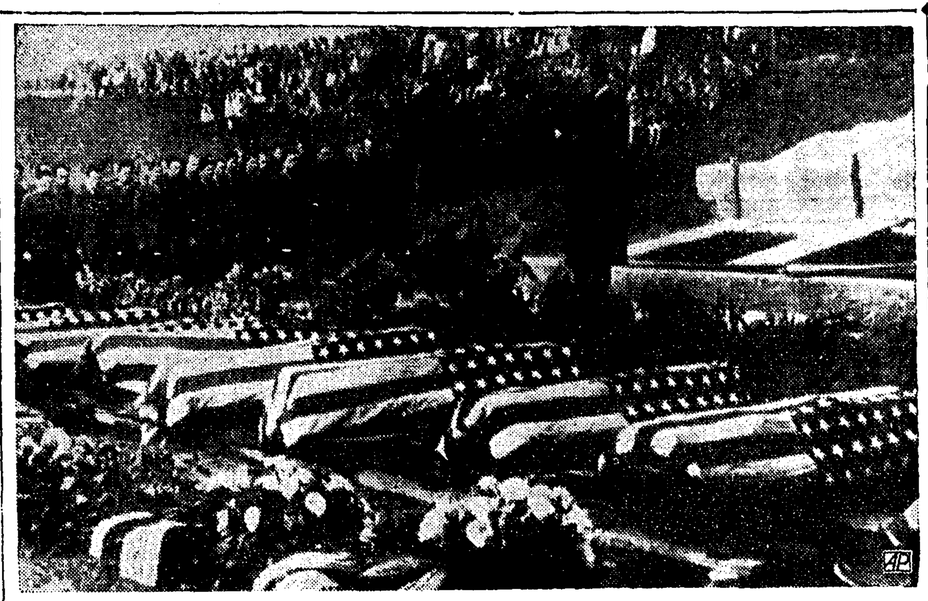
"Co-operation from individuals and business firms has given us a nice start," Miss Hays said, "but furnishings for these hospital recreation rooms require money from at least 1000 ticket sales at $1.00 each and we are anxious to reach this figure."

Entire proceeds from the show, "Up In Arms" to be shown May 5, will be turned over to the Camp and Hospital Service of the Red Cross.

The cost of the show itself is being donated by Interstate Theaters and employees of the Palace Theater are donating their services for the performance.

Mrs. John J. Garner, Navarro County chairman of the Camp and Hospital Service Unit, lists needed furnishings for McCloskey Hospital sun rooms as including seven pianos, numerous chairs, couches, lamps and tables.

The ticket committee of the Business Womens Club is headed by Elizabeth Head. Other members are Josephine Brown, Inez Compton, Gelena Cypert, Mary Walker, Emalily Stokes, Lucille Boyd and Adlyn Hays.



AMERICAN FLIERS BURIED WITH MILITARY HONORS IN SWITZERLAND—Twelve coffins draped with the Stars and Stripes rest in cemetery at Munsinger, Switzerland, during burial April 28 with full military honors of American fliers killed in action or crashes. A theological student, Tracy Strong, Jr., native of Seattle, stands in center to read invocation, with part of group of interned American aviators standing at left. In rear is Swiss rifle platoon with some Swiss civilian on-lookers. This picture was taken by one of the U. S. internees, Lt. Thomas Carver, of Alameda, Calif. (AP Wirephoto via Radio from Bern)

FRANK KNOX, NAVY SECRETARY, BURIED ARLINGTON MONDAY

U. S. NAVY MEN AROUND WORLD HOLD MEMORIAL SERVICES

WASHINGTON, May 1—((AP))—Frank Knox, Secretary of the Navy, will be laid to rest on the rolling slopes of Arlington National Cemetery today while U. S. navy men around the world hold memorial services for "the boss."

Only exceptions will be on the ships that at 1400—navy term for 2 p. m., Eastern war time—are in actual battle when the enemy or carrying out emergency missions.

In the British and Canadian fleets, as well, all flags fly at half-mast on orders from the Admiralty in mourning for the man who sparked the program that gave the United States the mightiest navy in world history.

Replete with pageantry and traditional rites, the service for Knox, who died Friday from recurrent heart attacks, begins in a little church where he had worshipped since becoming secretary of the navy in July, 1940.

There, an old friend and neighbor will conduct the religious rites. He is Dr. Fred S. Buschmeyer, pastor of the Mount Pleasant Congregational church.

A guard of Honor will be waiting at the church when the funeral party arrives—Cabinet officers, admirals, generals, English men and women all have been alloted seats in the little church.

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American Ship Sunk With Loss Of 498 Troops

WASHINGTON, May 1—((AP))—The sinking of an American ship with loss of 498 military personnel in the Mediterranean was announced today by the War department.

The date of the sinking was not given, except that it was "recent' Nor was it disclosed whether the enemy action was by submarine or aircraft.

"The vessel sank swiftly and 498 military personnel are missing,' said the brief announcement. "The next of kin of the personnel have been notified '

SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENT OF PAST WEEKEND WAS BATTLE PUT UP BY NAZI FIGHTERS AT BERLIN

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press War Analyst.

One of the most significant developments of a weekend of terrific allied bombing of Hitlerdom was the reappearance of German fighter planes is force to defend Berlin against another devastating attack by our American air fleet.

For a long time the luftwaffe's fighter defense has been comparatively weak, giving rise to the belief among observers that the nazis were conserving their waning strength abainst the day of invasion. We now seem to have confirmation of this.

One of our main objectives in the round-the-clock bombing of the continent has been to render Hitler's air force impotent, and certainly it has suffered terrible wounds. Still, it's clear that the luftwaffe isn't yet knocked out.

Just what Hitler has been able to save up for D-Day is speculation. The point is, however, that he may have sufficient reserve so that we shall see some of the greatest air battles yet fought when the showdown comes.

The fact that the feuhrer is beginning to draw on his precious reserve is recognition that the invasion is imminent. He can't afford to depend entirely on anti-aircraft guns to defend his vital communications which now are being ripped to shreds.

One of Hitler's tough problems is to guess when the full fury of the storm will break, so as to make the most of his defenses in all categories. Probably the only thing he is sure of is that it can come at any time and that he has got to stand at alert from now on.

In the month which has just closed the Anglo-American forces have unleashed 100,000 tons of bombs on Hitlerian territory.

Despite this frightful weight of bombing, it surely hasn't reached its full intensity. I believe ye yet are to see a display of allied aerial striking power which will stagger the world. What's going on now is fairly mild compared with what is still to some, especially on D-Day itself.

Important Targets In Northern Italy Bomber Blasted

By EDWARD KENNEDY

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, In Naples, May 1.—(AP)—Allied bombers blasted the big port of Genoa for the third straight night last night after a fleet of more than 500 heavy bombers rained explosives on the Milan railyards and other targets in Northern Italy, headquarters announced today.

Topping off 72 hours of blows on shipping and communications in Italy, the night bombers also hammered the much-bombed west coast port of Livorono (Leghorn) and struck Monfalcone, near the Adriatic port of Trieste.

Heavy bombers hit a plane factory at Milan and others at Bresso and Barese, struck rail targets at Castelmaggiore and Allessandria and dug up an airfield at Reggio Emilia during more than 1,750 sorties from which five planes of the allied Mediterranean airforce failed to return. Twelve enemy planes were destroyed.

Medium and light bombers attacked rail communications in Central Italy, scoring hits on many bridges, mostly on the Rome-Florence line. A six car train was reported hit.

Ground action was limited to patrol activity and artillery duels, with the Germans firing propaganda leaflets in one area.

Mississippi At Highest Stage In Hundred Years

By The Associated Press

Swollen to its highest levels in 100 years, the raging Mississippi river swept safely past St. Louis but continued spreading destruction today as one of its tributaries, the Illinois, continued tearing at earthen levies.

Forecasts of showers throughout the watersheds of the two streams led authorities to call for additional help to battle the rivers, bringing to over 11,000 the number fighting to hold the levies in Illinois and Missouri. The U. S. army district engineers office at St. Louis reported that Dupo, where a large portion of the freight yards was under water, and Preston, on the Mississippi, and Clear Creek and McGree Creek levees were in critical danger today.

The coast guard cutter Greenbrier was ordered upstream from Cape Girardeau, Mo., to assist in evacuation work today at Hanging Dog Island, 10 miles below Grand Tower. The coast guard previously evacuated all 600 residents of Valmeyer, Ill.

The total acreage inundated by the Mississippi and the two tributaries, the Illinois and Missouri, in the latest tabulation by the Red Cross was 1,212,000. Levees were being broken at so many places it is difficult to keep figures up to date.

One thousand soldiers were trapped when the Harrisonville, Ill., levee went out but timely evacuation by armed engineer and coast guard boats prevented loss of life. The levee at Choteau, further upstream, also went out.

A casualty of the Illinois river was a drawn span of the bridge at Beardstown which was wrecked when it was struck by a large boat apparently out of control.

Nazi Ship Sinking Claims.

LONDON, May 1.—(AP)—The German high command claimed today that 23 Allied merchant ships and transports totalling 153,820 tons, and 27 destroyers and escort vessels were sunk by German action during April.

A minesweeper and seven speedboats also were sunk and a number of others were damaged, a communique said.

NORTHERN BURMA FORCES AIDED BY FIRST TANK UNIT

GEN. STILWELL'S TROOPS THREATEN TWO ENEMY BASES

By THOBURN WIANT

SOUTHEAST ASIA HEADQUARTERS, Kandy, Ceylon, May 1.—(AP)—Two years after taking a "Hell of a beating" in Burma, Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell has recaptured almost half of the Mogaung Valley of Northern Burma and has sent into action the first all-American tank unit to fight on the Asiatic continent, it was disclosed today.

Announcement that medium tanks are spearheading Stilwell's drive down the valley increased hope that "Vinegar Joe" could reach the town of Mogaung before the Monsoon rains begin in about two weeks. The main Japanese base in northern Burma, Myitkyina, lies some 40 miles east of Mogaung.

Stilwell's Chinese spearheads are reported at Manpin, 32 miles northwest of Mogaung, and the American tanks rolled into battle for the first time at Inkanfahtawng, 12 miles northwest of Manpin.

A communique disclosed that Waranzup, five miles above Inkangahtawng, on the valley's only truckable road, had been in Stilwell's hands 10 days.

Stilwell's forces now are threatening not only the enemy base at Mogaung but also the companion stronghold of Myitkyina, some 40 miles to th ecast. Advices from the front yesterday said his troops east of the Mogaung valley were only 45 road miles due north of Myitkyina.

Japs Mass For Imphal Attack.

From the battle front in Northern India, meanwhile, came reports that the Japanese are massing for an all-out assault on Imphal, main allied base on the Manipur plain.

An allied spokesman said that the Japanese, faced with dwindling supplies, must either attack shortly in an effort to improve their

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GUY HAMILTON IS BURIED MONDAY IN OAKWOOD CEMETERY

PIONEER CORSICANAN PASSED AWAY EARLY SUNDAY IN LOCAL HOSPITAL

Funeral services for Guy Hamilton, pioneer resident of Corsicana, who died early Sunday morning at the Navarro Clinic following an extended illness, were held Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the Sutherland-McCammon Chapel with Rev. E. F. Belmifalk conducting the rites. Burial was in Oakwood cemetery.

A resident of Corsicana all his life, he was well known here. He took an active part in business and civic affairs of the city. He was engaged in the mercantile business here for many years.

Surviving are his wife; two daughters, Mrs Rex Bounds, Corsicana; Mrs. J. H. Mabry, San Antonio; a son, Allan Hamilton, Houston; a brother Lee Hamilton, Oklahoma; five sisters, Miss Jessie Hamilton, Corsicana; Mrs. Charles B. Megarity, Beaumont; Mrs. Eva Penny, El Paso: Mrs. K. C. Childers, Albuquerque, N. M.; Mrs. Ruth H. Iden, Albuquerque, N. M.; and other relatives.

Pallbearers were John Hughes, Robert Bates, Sid Story, Tom Orr, Joe Dunton, Sidney Brietz and N. Suttle Roberts.

FIFTEEN HUNDRED U.S. BOMBERS, FIGHTERS HIT FRANCE MONDAY

SEVENTEENTH STRAIGHT DAY OF PRE-INVASION BOMBING OPENS

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR

LONDON, May 1.—(AP)—Fifteen hundred or more allied planes struck at Nazi installations and rail lines in France and Belgium today in the 17th day of the pre-invasion air offensive, spearheaded by a heavy bomber assault upon secret targets in Northern France.

Up to 500 heavy bombers and as many escorting fighters delivered the main blow without losing a single plane, and the U. S. Marauders followed up with raids on railyards in both France and Belgium feeding the German Atlantic wall defenses.

Separate fleets of RAF mediums bombed railway objectives in France, and Mustangs and Thunderbolts hit the yards at Namur and Haine St. Pierre in Belgium.

The daylight attack followed an RAF heavy bomber night raid exploding an ammunition dump at Maintenon, 37 miles southwest of Paris, and hammering two more rail points in France.

(At 5 p. m. today the German radio said that "single planes are over Western Germany,")

The U. S. heavy bombers roared out early over the channel.

American pilots found the weather none too good and some formations brought their bombs home rather than drop them uncotainly and endanger French civilians. Other groups found holes in the overcast and reported satisfactory bombing.

"We didn't encounter a single German fighter," reported on Fortress gunner. "What little flak we saw was off in the distance."

Bostons and Mitchells of the RAF Second tactical air force led off today's offensive, bombing rail targets in France under escort of RAF, New Zealand and allied spitfires.

The British night blow itself followed close on the heels of the blasting which 3,000 allied planes delivered yesterday against German anti-invasion targets in France.

Targets of the RAF's railroad-busters, who wound up two straight months of almost continual hammering at junctions on lines supplying nazi forces crouching behind Hitler's Atlantic wall, were Acheres, near Paris and Somain, a coal field town south of Lille near the Belgian border.

An air ministry communique

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PRESIDENT ORDERS WARD SEIZURE STOP SPREAD OF STRIKES

THAT IS ARGUMENT BIDDLE, U. S. ATTORNEY GENERAL, MADE MONDAY

CHICAGO, May 1.—(AP)—The legal battle over government seizure of the Chicago plants of Montgomery Ward and company was resumed in federal court today, when Attorney General Francis Biddle declared it was President Roosevelt's duty to order the properties placed under federal control to prevent a spread of labor trouble during the war.

The attorney general told Judge William H. Holley the President's seizure order was not based on the type of goods handled by the huge mail order and merchandising concern but was motivated by a desire to halt the threatened spread of a labor controversy. He added:

"It is the basic duty of the President to prevent a spread of labor trouble during the war. There is nothing in the war labor disputes act to prevent the President from taking such action."

Biddle argued in support of his petition for an injunction to prohibit Ward executives from interfering with federal operation of the facilities. He obtained a temporary restraining order to that effect late last Thursday night, and the concern's counsel filed a motion to dissolve it on grounds that the seizure was unconstitutional and without legal authority.

Biddle stated the firm handled hay spreaders, corn and cotton planters and other kinds of farm equipment and added: "All needed for growing food for the army—all essential to war.'

In addition, he continued, the

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War At A Glance

By The Associated Press

ASIA—Stilwell's forces recapture almost half of Mogaung Valley in North Burma; first all-American tank unit in action.

CHINA—Chinese admit fall of important Hulao Pass guarding way to Loyang.

ENGLAND—Fifteen hundred allied planes strike nazi installations and rail lines in France and Belgium.

AMERICA—American ship sunk with loss of 498 military personnel

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BREEDING FIGHTERS

The madness that began with Hitler has been a terrible thing for the German people, and might become a still more terrible thing for the world if it were not overcome by sane and decent nations. Some of the facts of Nazi-German life have just been clearly told in this country by Sigrid Arne. They make an almost incredible combination of moral reversion and decadence, produced under the pretense of patriotism.

Germany today is described as full of nameless children, as a result of national war policy. There are thousands of them in orphan asylums, and other thousands, with their unwed mothers, throughout Germany and the occupied countries. There are said to be plans for emptying the asylums after the war, and scattering all those nameless children throughout the countries which the Nazis have occupied.

Moreover, this big army of illegitimate children is said to have been produced out of wedlock deliberately, to provide another army 20 years hence, for use in another attempt to conquer the world. If the reports are true, it means a deliberate, wholesale effort to breed "cannon fodder" for militarists such as has not been seen since the days of ancient Sparta.

This is at least a matter that should be brought under inquiry by other nations.

RESTORING MONEY STANDARDS

It seems like old times to find people discussing the Gold Standard again, and financiers not only in this country, but throughout the world, planning to restore it. When the governmental experts of 34 nations agree on a broad policy to establish an international fund of $8,000,000,000, for gold-based stabilization, it reveals more common sense and unity than this poor old world has shown about anything for some time.

It is reassuring to find even Russia, in spite of her usual aloofneses, adhering to this plan, and thereby virtually assuring its success. It will be an interesting novelty to find the Ruble circulating in the world markets, as apparently it will soon be doing. Present plans will naturally require an international conference to establish the principle and work out the details of the plan, but the general outlines seem fairly clear.

The German situation will naturally be difficult to handle for some time, especially if Germany devalues its own money as it did after the last war. There is no indication yet of German adherence to the plan. But it will have to come sooner or later, to prevent a reckless Nazi post-war finance policy interfering with constructive efforts.

SOLDIERS AND STATESMEN

One of the most curious things about the whole MacArthur episode has been the apparent failure of so many people to understand the difference between the military mind and the political mind. Generally between the two professions "there is a great gulf fixed."

They start from different bases and work in different ways for different ends. The statesman or politician in a free country is a servant of the people in a direct and intimate way. He represents them, and must understand their minds and see public affairs from their viewpoint. He is dependent for his professional existence, upon their votes and their support. He must know how they are thinking. He deals with delicate human forces that can make or break him in public life.

The soldier is a professional man, comparatively remote from the people. He has, in his professional capacity, nothing to do with politics or government. His function is to serve as a soldier and policeman, as impersonally as possible, for the military defense of the nation. All his training functions on that basis.

Thus the professional statesman and the professional soldier are naturally so different, and so far removed from each other in their work and purpose, that they generally muddle things when either tries to do the other man's job. We have had many examples in America of first-class military men failing conspicuously when unwise friends persuaded them to enter political life.

A MILITARY PROBLEM

The American armed forces, say Army and Navy authorities, need 1,400,000 more men. The military and industrial leaders are arguing about it. There is said to be a man-power crisis which might imperil the greatest military effort in our history. How are those additional fighting men to be obtained? Are men or materials more important? Shall labor be made compulsory, as the Army and Navy are urging?

One solution suggested is to have the industrial workers putting in more hours and working more steadily. But some critics reply that "compulsion of labor would be disastrous to production" because such action would "upset the morale of American workers."

It is very confusing. But the ordinary citizen can't understond why, in a crisis like this, men, and women also, should not be drafted for war work like those drafted for military jobs. Especially in view of the compensations. Factory jobs pay much better, and are much safer and easier, than the military jobs.

VEGETABLES AND FLOWERS

It is reassuring and heartwarming to see the enthusiasm with which American families all over the country are planting their Victory Gardens again. Evidently there are going to be more of them, covering large spaces, than there were last year, and consequently a still more abundant harvest of vegetables and fruit. It is a patriotic and sensible procedure, especially when the earnest gardeners make sure that the surplus, if any, shall not be wasted.

But why stop at fruit and vegetables? While providing for bodily needs, it is also well to provide for the soul. Flowers in the yard are hardly less valuable, in these times, than fruits and vegetables. And especially when people are so zealous that they even spade up their front lawns for vegetable beds, it is well to plant a few flowers for the spiritual and visual enjoyment of the owners and the passers-by.

Predictions are dangerous, but it is safe to say that no American school will ever be named after Hitler.

Edgar A. Guest

INEVITABLE.

All must be brave at times!
Here, soon or late,
Toll sorrow's solemn chimes
For humble or great.

None, whether high or low.
Pleasure's sole heir;
Favored through life to go,
Laughing at care.

Soon or late, one and all,
Come to the cross,
See the dark shadows fall;
Gain become loss.

Life blands its weal and woe
Down to the grave.
One and all here must know
How to be brave.

SEEING THINGS



IN UNIFORM

Mrs. H. O. Baldwin has received word that her husband, Sgt. H. O. Baldwin, arrived safely in England. Mrs. Baldwin and son, Otha Don, are making their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hobbs of Rice.

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Doyle C. More, serving in the ETO with the U. S. army, recently received his promotion from the rank of corporal to the rank of sergeant. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bufford More, Route 3, Corsicana, and is an assistant squad leader in his unit.

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Pvt. Clint Baxter, Jr., son of Clint Baxter, Sr., Kerens, has been selected to attend the enlisted communication course of the field artillery school at Fort Sill, Okla.

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Three Corsicanans have been appointed aviation students and have reported to the 314th College Training detachment at Ellensburg, Wash., for preliminary training as aircrew members. The men are Ben McKie, son of Mrs. Ben W. McKie, 1917 West Seventh avenue; Robert W. Burge, son of Mrs. Charles Ward, and John E. Varley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Varley, 517 North Fifteenth street.

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Sgt. Marvin A. Neese, U. S. army in the Southwest Pacific, has sent his father, R. R. Neese, a Japanese rifle. Details surrounding the securing of the rifle were not contained in the message sent Neese by his son, but he was requested to take good care of it, pending Sgt. Neese's return home.

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Mrs. Reed Talley has received word from her son, Sgt. A. D. Talley, that he has arrived safely somewhere in England. Mrs. Talley has another son, Pvt. Billie Dean Talley, who is stationed in Arkansas.

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Mrs. E. P. French has received a letter from two of her sons, Pvt. Lou Wright French, and Pfc. Orville French, that they have arrived safely somewhere in England. They both said that they were well. Mrs. French has another son somewhere in Italy, Staff Sgt. E. P. French. Mrs. French has four grandsons with the armed forces.

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Lieut. Damon Holditch of Camp Dix, N. J., spent a short leave last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Holditch, of Barry.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Pugh have had a message from their son, Pfc. Robert Lynn Pugh, stating that he had been promoted to corporal. Corp. Pugh has been stationed with the A. A. Communications Service in the Southwest Pacific for the past six months, and is now completing 17 months in the service.

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Pvt. Robert W. (Bobbie) Burge has been transferred from Stockton, Calif., to Ellingsburg, Washington. Private Burge is with the U. S. Army Air Corps.

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Pvt. Gwynn Sutton is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Sutton, after completing an army electricians specialist course at Chanute Field. He will go to Savannah, Ga., his new station, at the expiration of the furlough.

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Lieut. Vernon T. Bower, USAAF, has been visiting his family and friends on a fifteen day furlough, and has returned to his base at Camp Sibert, Gadsden, Alabama, as a member of the Third Air Force.

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Cpl. Forest R. Robinson has returned to Camp Great Bend, Kas., after a 15-day furlough spent with his mother, Mrs. John Robinson and other relatives.

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Mrs. Terry Sutton has received a letter from her son, Pfc. Kenward Sutton, who is with the U. S. Army Air Corps in Italy. He said that he was now living in a tent in the country which was most pleasant when it was not raining but so far he added "sunny" Italy had failed to live up to its name. Pfc. Sutton is getting along fine and sends greetings to his friends here. Kenward will be remembered as one of the outstanding members of the Tiger football teams a few years ago.

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Av-C William A. McKinney son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McKinney Sr. Powell Texas has completed ten weeks of primary flight training at the Rankin Aeronautical Academy, Tulare, California, operated by J. G. "Tex" Rankin, world's champion acrobatic pilot and flying school operator for a quarter century. Cadet McKinney was a graduate of Powell high school where he was prominent in athletics.

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Pfc. Frank Daniel Allen, accompanied by his wife, have returned to New Orleans after a furlough spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Allen, and other relatives.

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M-Sgt. Chas. F. Byrd, accompanied by his wife, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Byrd early this week, Sgt. Byrd returned to his station at McCook Nebraska, while his wife returned to her bank position at Casper, Wyoming.

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S-Sgt. James E. Wilkinson, son of W. L. Wilkinson, Corsicana, recently returned from service outside the continental United States, now is being processed through the Army Air Forces redistribution station number two in Miami Beach, Florida, where his next asignment will be recommended. Sgt. Wilkinson, age 25, served 21 months in the British Isles and Mediterranean area as a C-47 Skytrain radio operator-mechanic. He flew one glider mission, and two paratroop missions and was awarded te Air Medal. Sgt. Wilkinson was graduated from Corsicana high school in 1936.

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Former Corsicanan Arrives From Navy Base in California

Walter G. Lewis, Sp. Y3-C, U. S. Navy, has arrived home on a fifteen day leave from his station at Camp Kearney, a Liberator Bomber Base at San Diego, Calif. He left San Diego at 8 a. m. Wednesday by American Airlines, and arrived at Love Field, Dallas, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., where he was met by his wife, son, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Lewis.

Specialist Y is a new rating recently brought out by the Navy for control tower operators, and Walter has the honor of being the third man on the West Coast to make one of the new ratings.

Mrs. Lewis and young son will return to California with Mr. Lewis at the expiration of his visit, and will reside in Escondido, Calif.

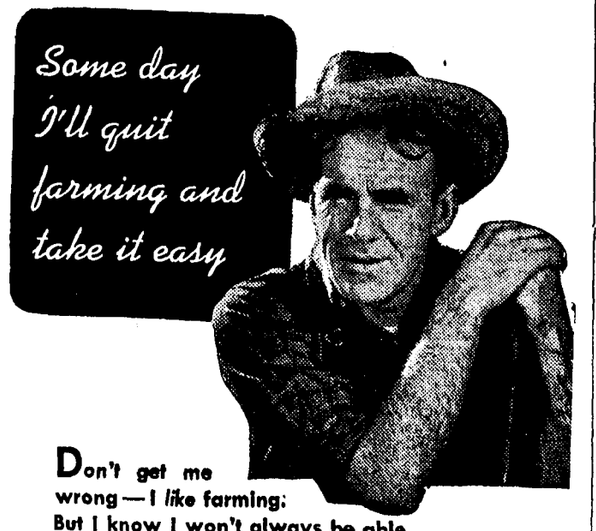
Mr. Lewis has been serving in the U. S. Navy since April 24th, 1944.

Former Corsicana Girl Mother of Son

Lieut. and Mrs. Walter Franklin Moody anncunced the birth of a son, Keith Franklin, at the Methodist Hospital in Sioux City, Iowa, on April 25. Grandparents of the baby are Mrs. J. B. Woodruff of Corsicana, and Mr. and Mrs. George Franklin Moody of Houston, Mo.

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FUNERAL SERVICES BE HELD TUESDAY FOR W. K. CHITWOOD

Funeral services are scheduled in Kerens Tuesday afternoon for W. K. Chitwood, about 75, who died at his home in Kerens Sunday. He had been ill for several months. Burial will be in the Prairie Point Cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, three sisters, Mrs. Lillie Barnett and Mrs. Fannie Sherrill, both of Kerens, and Mrs Della Albritton, Corsicana, and other relatives.

New Quota Surgical Dressings Arrives; To Start Wednesday

The Navarro County Red Cross Chapter's quota of 45,000 4 by 4 surgical dressings arrived last week-end and work will begin on them on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, according to announcement by Mrs. A. E. Horn, surgical dressings chairman.

All volunteer workers are urged to return to the workroom on Wednesday morning in order that the quota may be completed at the earliest date possible. Volunteers are reminded that dressings will be of urgent importance at this particular time as invasion plans go forward on all fronts.

Jack Redden Arrives Home From Two-Year Stay Camp Canol

Jack (Tap) Redden arrived from Camp Canol, Northwest Territory, on Sunday afternoon for a visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Redden. Jack has spent the past two years at Camp Canol, which is only 22 miles from the Arctic Circle, and has been employed by the Bechtel-Price-Callahan Construction Company.

Jack is being warmly welcomed by his many Corsicana friends, since this is his first trip home in three years.

Promotions For Corsicana WACS

Lieut. L. D. Lands, WAC, the former Josephine Polk, now stationed at Buckley Field, Colo., has been promoted to the rank of captain. She entered the service in August, 1942. Lieut. Judith C. Bennett, WAC, who entered the service in July 1942, has recently been made commanding officer of the 1550th Service Unit, WAC, stationed at Fort Knox, Ky. The two officers are sisters and are the daughters of Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Polk, Corsicana.

New Operating Table.

A new operating table was received and installed at the P. and S. Hospital Saturday and the old table in the main operating room has been moved to the emergency operating room, it was announced Saturday afternoon.

The new equipment was ordered in 1943, but wartime difficulties, etc. prevented an earlier delivery.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Grantham of Clifton spent Sunday with Mr. Grantham's sister, Mrs. E. C. Huckabee.



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JERUSALEM, May 1.—(AP)—Rudolph Messerschmitt, 70-year-old Jerusalem resident from Switzerland, applied to the government today for permission to change his name to Rudolf Spitfire.

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FIFTY-SIX SENIOR HIGH STUDENTS ON SCHOLARSHIP CLUB

Fifty-six Corsicana high school students have again made the honorary scholarship club during the last grade period before the closing six-weeks session of school according to R. A. Armistead, school principal.

Among the 3) students who made all As were: Manual Ablon (5 A's, Patricia Borg, Robert Bower, Ruth Brown, (5 A's), Carolyn Buie, Doris Marie Caskey, (5 A's), Billie Anne Cheney, (5 A's), Betty Nell Crain, Edwin Daniels, A. H. Ganze, Jr., Ballard George, Joy Hall, Kathleen Hardin, Catherine Hutchins, Carrolyn Kelton.

Janice Levy, Andrew McColpin, Susie McMichael, G'Nelle McWilliams, Mary Bird Moore, Bill Newton, Bette Sue Pierce, Winifred Rankin, Dorris Anita Reedy, Anne Smith, Dorothy Smith, (5 A's), Gerald Smith, Teddie Snider (5 A's), Mary Frances Thompson, and Bobby Waddell.

The 26 students who made 3 As with no grade lower than a B were: June Auld, W. L. Ayers, Kenneth Bobkoff, Bettye Jean Bradley (4 A's, 1 B), Marian Bragg, Harold Bryant, Wanda Peth Carl (4 A's, 1 B), Wilma Wiley Cessna, Carolyn Dublin (4 A's, 1 B), Bertha Lee Garrison, Martha Sue George, Bert Guthrie, (4 A's, 1 B), Helena Juengermann.

Exa Claire Love (4 A's, 1 B), Joe McAdams (4 A's, 1 B), Ella McMichael, Franchelle McWilliams, Henry Nieper Dorothy Osborne (4 A's, 1 B), Mary Ellen Reed, Mary Frances Reedy, Betty Jo Robinson, (3 A's, 2 Bs), Louise Smith, Stephania Smith, Helen Statham, John Wallace.

Red Cross Blood Donor Service Is Successful Here

The Red Cross Blood Donor Service Unit completed its allotted stay in Corsicana on Friday at noon, and returned to Dallas headquarters shortly after 1 o'clock.

600 volunteers reported to the First Methodist Educational building, ready to donate one pint of blood each, but 50 were rejected on account of age, and 54 were ineligible for other reasons, leaving a total of 487 from whom donations were received, according to announcement by Dr. William T. Shell, Jr., chairman of the Blood Donor Service of the Navarro Red Cross Chapter.

Dr. Shell wishes to express appreciation to the citizens of city and county for their willingness to make blood donations, and to the volunteer members of the Local Red Cross organization who made the undertaking an outside success and an effective contribution to American men on the battle-fronts of the world.

NUMBER CORSICANANS SENT TO NAVY DUTY BY BOARD NO. ONE

The following selectees went to Dallas Saturday morning to report for active duty in the U. S. Navy from Navarro County Draft Board No. 1:

Ansel Howard Brewer, John Wesley Kemp, Elmer Lee Owen, James Edward Robinson, Daniel Joseph Bell, Jr., Emmett Bascom Dosser, John Edward Mitchell, Johnnie Bartlett Towns, William Newell Mitchell, Claud Charleston Rogers, Maylon Clifford Legg, Jr., Tommie Garth Truelove and Troy Estes Anderson.

Angus Man Slightly Injured In Auto Crash Near Rice

J. D. Anglin of Angus is in the P and S Hospital suffering bruises about the chest, face and hands following an automobile accident in Ellis county on Highway 75 between Rice and Alma last night.

Sam T. Curry, deputy sheriff, and C. F. Stevens, liquor control operative, answered the call. The car in which Anglin was riding figured in a collision with another auto that the officer said burned following the accident. Several received slight injuries, but not sufficient for hospitilization. No arrests were made.

A local wrecker brought the Anglin car to Corsicana Saturday morning.

Assistant Agents Met With Corbet 4-H Clubs

L. L. Bennett, and Miss Eva Williams, assistant county agents, met with the Corbet 4-H clubs April 19, for a discussion on "Killing Saboteurs in Your Garden." A demonstration on making a garden sprayer, and a lecture on various insecticides were included on the program. The club will meet again on May 2.



STATIONED IN OREGON—Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Johnnie Bryant Slone, above, were recently visited by their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Slone, Corsicana, Route No. 3. A 1941 graduate of the Corsicana high school, Sgt. Slone is now stationed at Camp White, Oregon. His wife the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Riggs, Purdon, is employed at Portland, Oregon, and makes her home in that city with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Slone.

DR. GORDON SINGLETON KEYNOTE SPEAKER AT ANNUAL BANQUET OF PARENTS-TEACHERS LAST NIGHT

By MRS. LYNNE WORTHAM
Sun Society Editor

Characterizing the public schools as America's big business and challenging them to greater achievements in the post-war world, Dr. Gordon G. Singleton, president of Mary Hardin-Baylor College of Belton, as keynote speaker at the annual Parent-Teacher Banquet at Corsicana High School on Thursday evening brought an inspirational and thought-provoking discussion of "The People's Schools."

Other features of the occasion were the presentation of a life membership in the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers to Mrs. Lynne Wortham and the introduction of officers for the various Parent-Teacher Associations of Corsicana for the coming year.

Introductory Remarks.

In his introductory remarks, following presentation by Supt. W. H. Norwood, Dr. Singleton compared American schools with those of England, Germany and France, and asserted that local schools are definitely America's greatest gift to the world.

The important question at the present time is "What will the American schools do after the war" he continued, advising that their greatest accomplishment should be the perfection of social relations and the stabilizing of humanity. He further stated that this may be realized through intelligent, spiritual and humanitarian efforts.

In a plea for the re-affirmation of high ideals for the youth of tomorrow, Dr. Singleton suggested that the readers of the public schools be rewritten in order that worthwhile motives of life might be given greater emphasis. In a scathing denunciation, he urged the complete annihilation of debunkers who have destroyed the faith of youth in heroes of the calibre of George Washington, and in world-famous documents such as the Constitution of the United States.

Schools of Future.

Dr. Singleton recommended that the schools of the future require interests by stressing spiritual motives in the arts, and by making provision for more inspirational environment for youth, such as philanthropists are doing today in their bequests to Christian colleges.

The speaker further urged the schools of the post-war world to participate in changing the attitudes of youth from scoffers to believers, to perpetuate good habits, and to restore discipline to parents, teachers and students. In stressing his various recommendations, the speaker envisioned even greater accomplishments for the schools of post-war America, and concluded his presentation with a stirring apothesis of education.

Musical Numbers.

Adding a definite musical sparkle to the occasion, was the refreshingly lovely voice of Miss Maxine Fisher, head of the voice department of Mary-Hardin-Baylor College, who obviously gave pleasure to her listeners in renditions of Burleigh's effective "Were You There?" Arditi's fetching waltz song, "Il Bacio," and Scotts appealing "The Jasmine Door." The audience clamored for another selection and Miss Fisher responded with Dunhill's "The Cloths of Heaven." The pianistic backdrop for Miss Fisher was provided by Miss Frances Hennessee, piano major of Mary Hardin-Baylor College, who shared in the applausive approbation of the evening.

Presided During Banquet.

In her capable and well-poised manner, Mrs. Elliott Johnston, retiring president of the City Council of Parent-Teacher Associations presided during the program and presented the various features of the evening.

"The Star Spangled Banner" was used as opening number of the program, with Miss Lena Mae McClure as director and Mrs. Lyndelle Fisher at the piano. This was followed with an invocation by Mrs. Winnie Rankin, retiring president of Corsicana High School Parent-Teacher Association, and the introduction of guests and officers by the presiding officer.

Out-of-town officials of the organization introduced were Mrs. J. K. Bradley of Rice, president of District Twelve; Mrs. J. E. Davis, of Dawson, state director of extension, and Mrs. O. K. Vinson of Barry, president of the Navarro Council.

City Council Officers.

Mrs. Wilbur Wright, incoming president of the City Council, introduced incoming officers of her organization as follows: Gaston T. Gooch, first vice president; Mrs. B. Wynne Woolley, second vice-president, Mrs. Ed M. Polk, Jr., and Mrs. Ralph Brown, Student-Aid Committee, and Mrs. A. H. Auld, secretary-treasurer.

Other incoming officials presenter were at follows:

Senior High School.

Mrs. E. G. Hall, president; Mrs. T. R. Red, first vice president; Mrs. Tom Westbrook, second vice president; Mrs. Charles Bee, third vice president; Miss Manette Wilson, secretary; Mrs. S. S. Crain, treasurer; Mr. R. A. Armistead, principal.

Junior High School.

Mrs. George Daniels, president; Mrs. J. W. Bunch, first vice president; Mrs. C. E. Barnes, second vice president; Mrs. C. C. McQuiston, third vice president; Mrs. Max Tatum, treasurer; Mrs. E. C. Bowen, secretary; Mr. Gaston T. Gooch, principal.

Stephen F. Austin School.

Mrs. Morris Ashendorf, president; Mrs. B. H. Nutt, first vice president; Mrs. Ezra Burns, second vice president; Mrs. Raymond Goldman, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. M. W. Gatlin, publicity chairman; Miss Aileen Carraway, principal.

David Crockett School.

Mrs. John Arnett, president; Mrs. A. J. Fitzgerald, first vice president; Mrs. Donald Bailey, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. E. E. Burkhart, principal.

Sam Houston School.

Mrs. R. G. Steele, president; Mrs. Joe York, first vice president; Mrs. J. M. Dyer, Jr., second vice president; Mrs. C. C. Weatherford, third vice president; Mrs. Frank Ware, secretary; Mrs. A. H. Auld, treasurer; Miss Irene Prine, principal.

Robert E. Lee School.

Mrs. Robert G. Dillard, president; Mrs. J. S. Tekell, first vice president; Mrs. Doyle West, second vice president; Mrs. J. P. McKinney, third vice president; Mrs. T. L. Tyson, treasurer; Mrs. Hoyt Moore, secretary; Mrs. George Eliot, publicity chairman; Mrs. Hubert Braselton, scrapbook chairman; Miss Sarah Holman, principal.

William B. Travis School.

Mrs. Ben J. Acock, president; Mrs. Elbert Cox, first vice president; Mrs. A. V. Pope, second vice president; Mrs. Lester Atkins, third vice president; Mrs. W. L. David, secretary; Mrs. W. W. Byrd, treasurer; Miss Ruby McCrary, publicity chairman; Mrs. Bummie McReynolds, publications; Miss Alma Armstrong, principal.

The Board of Education.

W. P. McCammon, president; Mrs. H. R. Stroube, J. H. Sullivan, Dr. J. Wilson David, R. L. Wheelock, Dr. W. K. Logsdon, Mrs. Festus Pierce, W. H. Norwood, superintendent of schools, and F. L. Seale, treasurer.

Corsicana Teachers' Association.

Mrs. Gertrude Russell, president; Miss Sarah Holman, first vice president; Miss Julia Kiber, second vice president, and Mrs. Helen Miller, secretary-treasurer.

City Council 1943-44.

The retiring officers of the City Council introduced by the president, Mrs. Eliot Johnston, were Miss Alma Armstrong, first vice president; Mrs. Ralph Brown, second vice president; Mrs. Wilbur Wright and Mrs. B. Wynne Woolley, student aid committee; Mrs. Glynn Johnston, secretary-treasuror; Miss Sarah Holman, publicity chairman; Mrs. R. C. Marshal, cafeteria supervisor and Miss Lena Mae McClure, music chairman.

The banquet was in charge of a general arrangements committee which included Mesdames Winnie Lee Rankin, Wilbur Wright, Robin H. Brians, O. L. Albritton, Lewis Foster E. L. Tackett and John Arnett.

The program committee was composed of Mesdames Eliot Johnston, W. H. Norwood, Miss Alma Armstrong, Miss Emma Kiber, and Miss Sarah Holman, the latter two members of which were responsible for the clever and attractive program booklets that marked each cover.

Mesdames Ralph Brown, Glynn Johnston and R. C. Marshall were responsible for the appetizing menu which received special recognition from Dr. Singleton, speaker of the evening.

The colorful table decor, which featured Radiant red roses in artistic profusion, interspersed throughout with native bluebonnets and illumed with gleaming white tapers, was planned and executed by Mesdames Robin H. Brians, Bell White, Tom Westbrook, Lewis David and E. D. Criddle, Jr.

Mrs. Brown Makes Report.

Mrs. Ralph Brown, chairman of the Student Aid Fund for the past year, reported that more than five thousand meals had been dispensed by the committee, and that a decided improvement had been noted in the physical condition of the recipients of the aid.

Presentation of Life Membership.

In the presentation of a life membership in the state association, Mrs. Eliot Johnston stated that Mrs. Lynne Wortham had been chosen by the City Council as outstanding in her work with the local organizations. In enumerating her various activities, Mrs. Johnston stated that Mrs. Wortham had served as program chairman and president of Sam Houston PTA, as first vice president of Junior High school PTA for two years, as organizer, first vice president and publicity chairman of Corsicana High school PTA, and as publicity chairman, free food chairman, program chairman and president of the PTA City Council. The recipient of the honor was called to the Speaker's table and presented a tiny golden pin carrying the insignia of the state Congress of Parents and Teachers, and representing life membership in the organization. Mrs. Wortham accepted the recognition with appreciation and pledged continuance of her interest in the work.

COMPLETING PLANS LIVESTOCK EXHIBIT HERE IN SEPTEMBER

Prize lists were revised and completed for the Corsicana Agricultural and Livestock show, September 12-16, at a dinner meeting of agriculture teachers, agents, and 4-H club sponsors given by the Corsicana Fair Association Thursday night at the Navarro hotel.

The 4-H club baby beef show and auction sales were outlined, and plans instigated for a Jersey heifer division and an open class in gilts for 4-H and FFA boys. The educational exhibits are to be abandoned and community booths will take their place. Changes were recommended in the pig program, and in the poultry show, and standards were set for the corn show.

According to a statement made by Roy Cloud, vocational ariculture teacher in the Kerens high school, the prize lists this year is the most encourain prize list ever offered at any fair.

Present at the dinner meeting were: John Bullick, assistant county agent, Waxahachie; Ed Singleton, county agent, Groesbeck; W. Elton Berry, agriculture teacher, State Home; L. M. Bennett, ag teacher, Frost; Roy Cloud, ag teacher, Kerens; W. J. Moore, ag teacher, Dawson; J. E. Jordan, ag teacher, Richland; Carl Rabb, ag teacher, Hillsboro; J. N. Edens, president of the fair association.

Robert G. Dillard, manager, fair association; L. L. Bennet, assistant county agent, Corsicana; H. C. Robinson, county agent, Corsicana; Present from the association's executive committee were J. Afton Burke, Will Thompson, W. E. McKinney, and R. L. Wheelock, Jr., H. C. Gissell, Corsicana, was a guest.

Radio Star Buys Herefords From Local Breeders

White Faced Hereford cattle bred on Navarro county ranches have the reputation of being among the finest available in the United States.

As further evidence of this fact, H. H. Stroube has received an order from Chester Lauck to ship a carload of bulls and heifers to his recently purchased 156,000 acre ranch in Nevada to be used for breeding purposes to stock the ranch. The animals will be selected from all the Navarro County herds which means that only the finest available will be sent.

Lauck, the Lum of the famous radio team of Lum and Abner, was Stroube's guest here a year ago and made a tour of inspection of the Navarro county Hereford ranches. He was so impressed with the quality of the animals that this order followed and he indicated that he expected to make additional purchases from the local breeders.

The present consignment will be forwarded just as soon as the selections are completed.

Son Born To Army Officer and Wife

Lt. and Mrs. Walter F. Moody announce the arrival of a son on April 25 at the Methodist Hospital in Sioux City, Iowa. Mrs. Moody will be remembered here as the former Miss Kathleen Woodruff, daughter of Mrs. Maud Woodruff and granddaughter of Mrs. I. J. Bolin.



NAVAL AVIATOR—Cullom F. Milburn, 19, brother of Claude L. Milburn of 1803 Woodlawn, Corsicana, won his Navy "Wings of Gold" and was commissioned an Ensign in the Naval Reserve this week following completion of the prescribed flight training course at the Naval Air Training Center, Pensacola, Fla., the "Annapolis of the Air." Having been designated a Naval Aviator, Ensign Milburn will go on active duty at one of the Navy's air operational training centers before being assigned to a combat zone.

Large Number Of Students Occupied In Part Time Work

Approximately 77 per cent of the boys, and 22.8 per cent of the girls, in Corsicana high school are employed in part time, after school and weekend job at the present, it was revealed in a recent Corsicana school survey made in co-operation with the State PTA organization.

Further figures show other of the Corsicana school students working in various ways to further the war effort either directly or indirectly. About 62.6 per cent of the boys, and 20.8 per cent of the girls in the junior high school are employed In the Jackson high school 33 1-3 per cent of the boys are employed, and 12.9 per cent of the girls have part time jobs. Figures compiled for students above the fourth grade in the white and colored elementary schools combined, show that 6 per cent of the boys and .32 per cent of the girls are working.

Among the many and varied types of employment listed by the senior high boys were grocery clerk, usher, gas station attendant, delivery boy, carpenter, dairy work, printing, paper route, soda jerk, Western Union messenger, yard work, garage helper, and stock boy.

The high school girls showed preference for variety store clerking, shoe sales work, waitressing, cashiering, housework, photographer's helpers, stenography, office clerking and baby sitting.

Farming, filling station helpers and yard work were jobs held by junior high school boys, while the girls work in beauty shops, on farms, in homes, florist shops, offices and in phonographers shops.

Boys in the Jackson high school do farm and yard work, act as bus boys, porters, house cleaners, dishwashers, shoe shine boys, and cafe workers. The girl perform maid services for the fost part.

Elementary school girls work as sitters exclusively. The boys have paper routes do yard and farm work, and caddy.

Grandparents In Custody Of Child Case Fight It Out

Four negro grandparents had hired lawyers to handle the case and arguments over the custody of a child in district court, but took matters into their own hands at noon recess Saturday.

The result was that a fight ensued on the courthouse walk near the main entrance and the effect was that the quartet found themselves in the county jail. Sheriff Cap Curington said all would be charged with affray in justice court during the afternoon.

According to the version as related by officers, the grandparents are at outs over the custody of a minor child whose father is in the armed forces and receives an allotment each month. The mother was not present.

District Judge A. P. Mays, the sheriff said, had recessed court shortly before noon and had ordered that the child be brought into court at 1:30 p.m. Saturday afternoon. The argument and fight ensued soon after recessing of court. The sheriff said a hammer was involved and that someone threw a brick, but no one was seriously injured.

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TWO CORSICANANS REACH CHARLESTON ON HOSPITAL SHIP

STARK GENERAL HOSPITAL, Charleston, S. C., April 29.—(Spl)—When the hospital ship Acadia docked at Charleston harbor it brought 38 Texas men, and one Texas nurse back from overseas duty. Among these were two Corsicana men, Sgt. Clifton O. Whitley, Route 1, and Sgt. Billy Levine, 212 East Second avenue, both veterans of the Italian campaign. Cpl. Cecil O. Walker, of Hillsboro, was also aboard.

The several hundred men who arrived on the Acadia are now quartered at Stark General Hospital, Charleston, S. C., where they are enjoying the advantages of American food and atmosphere until they are evacuated, either to inland general hospitals nearer their homes, or on to general hospitals for specific treatment.

Corsicana Student At NTSTC Chosen For Part in Radio Show

DENTON, April 28.—(Spl.)—John Womack of Corsicana was one of ten students selected Thursday by talent scouts for the radio College Capers of 1944 to represent North Texas State in the opening program of the new "Showtime" radio series Sunday afternoon, May 21.

Eight Texas colleges and universities are to take part in the series and the programs are to be presented on nine consecutive Sundays following the initial performance saluting North Texas. The program is to be broadcast from the stage of the Palace Theater in Dallas over the Texas Quality Network.

Womack is a freshman music student on the Denton campus and sang with a boys' quartet for the College Capers audition. He is the son of Edjar J. Womack.

Ten Commandments of Beauty Subject For White's Chapel Club

"The Ten Commandments of Beauty," and "Your Posture" were discussed by Mrs. R. P. Garrett at the Wednesday meeting of White's Chapel Home Demonstration Club in the Community Center. Mrs. M. L. Spurlock gave a question and answer quiz on the face and body.

Following the beauty discussion, Mrs. Garrett gave a paper on chicken diseases and their preventitives. It was voted to send a sum of money to the veteran recreation center. Mrs. Spurlock directed a backward spelling match during the social hour.

Refreshments were served. Guests included Mrs. Jack Megarity, Mrs. D. F. Roberson and R. P. Garrett. Mrs. Harvey Beeman will be hostess to the club May 10 in the Center.



FRANK KNOX

HEART ATTACK FATAL—Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox died at his Washington home shortly after noon Friday as the result of a heart attack. Knox was stricken ill while atending the funeral of J. A. Muehling, his business partner for 40 years last week.

Former Resident Of Corsicana Reported Missing In Action

Lieut. M. Y. Wilson, Jr., Hamlin, former resident of Corsicana, is missing in action over Germany since April 11, according to word received here by relatives. Lieut. Wilson was with the U. S. Army Air forces, but it is not known here whether he was a bomber or fighter pilot.

His wife lives in Chickasaw, Ala.

Long-Time Resident Blooming Grove Dies

BLOOMING GROVE, April 28.—Funeral services for James W. Mitchell, aged 76 years, who died Tuesday, were held here Wednesday afternoon. A native of Arkansas, he had resided in this community since 1902. No near relatives survive.

CORSICANA DISTRICT CONFERENCE TO MEET AT HUBBARD MAY 9TH

The Corsicana District Conference of Methodism will be held this year in Hubbard. It will be a one day conference and will be held Tuesday, May 9th. Rev. R. Otis Sory, district superintendent, will preside. The District Conference is the half way mark in the conference year and churches will report on their efforts for the first half year. The following delegates to this conference have been elected by the First Methodist church:

Mrs. Ralph Tatum, J. S. Murchison, W. P. McCammon, Mrs. O. L. Albritton, Mrs. J. W. David, Boyce Martin, Gaston T. Gooch, Mrs. J. S. Murchison, L. I. Griffin, Mrs. A. E. Haslam, J. L. Jackson, J. Floyd Smith, J. S. Tekell, and Mrs. E. F. Bohmfalk. Ex-Officio delegates, Rev. Erwin F. Bohmfalk, Rev. W. B. Wilson, W. H. Norwood, Dr. N. R. Stone, F. A. Pierce and H. E. Matcelf.

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CORSICANA MAN IN THICK OF FIGHTING WITH 36TH DIVISION

SIGNALMEN KEPT SWITCHBOARD OPERATING REGARDLESS SHELL FIRE

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY, Italy, May 1.—(Spl.)—Although the building which housed their switchboard suffered five direct hits from enemy shellfire, signalmen of the 36th "Texas" Division kept their switchboard in operation recently on the Fifth Army front in Italy.

Secod Lieutenant Clyde D. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde C. Miller, Napoleon, Ohio, skillfully directed his men during the 45 days at the front in keeping communication lines open between the regimental command post and frontline infantry.

Five Direct Hits

An old shell-torn house was used as a place of shelter for the 36th wiremen. "We put our switchboard in there," said Lieutenant Miller, "and during the combat period, five direct hits were scored on our side of the building."

The heavy enemy shelling caused many breaks in the wire. Each break meant a repair. At one time a shell landed at the base of the building cutting all but one of 30 wires leading to the higher commands. Night and day men worked laying and relaying wire at an average of 30 miles per day.

"When we'd hear a shell whistling our way we took cover immediately. Never can tell exactly where those things are going to land," explained Staff Sergeant Mansen Bearden of Denison, Tex.

"Got the Job Done."

In the mountains where even jeeps have trouble getting through narrow passes, the men used mules to cary wire as they laid it along the trails. "When it got too rough for the mules," said Private Bill Beaden of Denison, Texas, "we laid the wire ourselves and got the job done as soon as possible."

The relief the men expected came after the hectic 45 days of tireless work at the front. They were weary and dirty when they left for the rest area, but they knew that another day would find them up front again laying wire and maintaining their switchboard in operation.

Local Man at Front

Private Beaden is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Beaden, 114 East Heron street, Denison, Texas. Other men from Denison who operated the switchboard are: Staff Sergeant Ernest C. Coffey, Sergeant Joe S. Price, and Sergeant Wilson N. Derrick. The remaining men at the front were Corporal Hubert Chaney, 203 East Thirteenth street, Cameron, Tex.; Private Cosby L. Aurtson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tilmon Aurtson, Nancy, Kentucky; Private Roy M. Hopwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hopwood, 1101 North Commerce street, Corsicana, Texas; and Corporal Royce Priest, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Priest, 592nd street, Beaumont, Texas

Visiting in Corsicana.

Lieuts. Erwin F. Bohmfalk, Jr., B. B. Brown, Monawa, Wis., and Stanley Binicky, Claremont, N. H., who are stationed at Bergstrom Field, Austin, spent the week end in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Erwin F. Bohmfalk.

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New Point Values Processed Foods

WASHINGTON, April 28.—(AP)—Following is a table of processed food point values effective Sunday:

Fruits.

Cranberries or sauce, whole, strained or jellied. No. 2 can; old 3, new 15.

Juices.

Tomato juice; old 16, new 18.
No. 10 (6-pound) can; old 30, new 36.

Vegetables.

Asparagus, no. 2 can; old 10, new 0.
Beets, No. 2 can; old 3, new 0.
Corn, No. 2 can (except vacuum packed); old 8, new 0.
Leafy greens, No. 2 can; old 4, new 0.
Spinach, No. 2 can; old 6, new 0.
Tomatoes, No. 2 can; old 5, new 0.
Corn (vacuum packed) 12-ounce can; old 6, new 0

Specialties.

Beans, all canned or bottled dry varieties:
No. 2 can (except soys, blackeye, peas and Crabanzos); old 3, new 13.
Spaghetti sauce, labeled as such, containing fats and mixed vegetables, 8-ounce containers; old 5, new 2.
Spaghetti sauce, in combination package with cheese, 8-counce container; old 6, new 3.
Tomato catsup or chill sauce, 14-ounce container; old 23, new 30.
Clam and other sea food soups, include:
Chowder, 10 1-2 ounce container; old 4, new 2.
Tomato soup, 10 1-2 ounce contained (No. 1 picnic); old 4, new 3.
Other concentrated or condensed soups, 10 1-2 ounce container; old 4, new 3.

Jams and Preserves.

Raspberry, strawberry (or in combination with apple or any other fruits or flavors), 1 pound container; old 8, new 16.
Apricot, blackberry, other berries, cherry, peach, pineapple, 1-pound container; old 8, new 8.
Grape, tomato, 1 pound container; old 4, new 2.

Jellies.

Apple, grape, mint, plum, 1-pound container; old 4, new 2.
Baker's jellies (imitation) per pound; old 4, new 2.
Fruit butters (include only apple, apricot, grape, peach) per pound; old 4, new 2.

Frost Citizens Donated Blood On Friday Morning

Among Frost citizens who gave a pint of blood each to Red Cross Blood Donor Service unit on Friday morning were Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bennett, Mrs. Sam Germany, Mrs. Hubert Bailey, Porter Bailey, Mrs. James Moore, Mrs. J. W. Strain, F. L. McClure, Miss Dizzie Rae Osborne, Miss Fannie Osborne, Mrs. Annie Ruth Berry, Mrs. Roy Searcy, Mrs. Iva Grimes, Joe Brown, Mrs. Jess Sharp, Miss Lena Scott, Miss Kate Simms, Ordway Mitchell, Mrs. Tom Hooser, Mrs. Edgar Bowman, Henry Haveman, Mrs. B. H. Griffin, Marvin Speer, Rev. T. D. Ellis, Mrs. Otis Dixon, Mrs A. J. Chamberlain, Mrs. Virginia Freer, Olin Fuller and Mrs. Gwen Haley.

Man Restrained From Violating Pro Laws

A temporary injunction was granted by A P. Mays; district judge, Saturday morning in the case of the State of Texas vs. Robert Pollock, alias Bob Pollock, restraining tnd enjoining the defendant from violating the prohibition laws in Navarro county.

The suit was filed a week ago by J. C. Roe, county attorney.

Sister Corsicanan Buried in Dallas

DALLAS, May 1.—Funeral services were held here Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock for Mrs. Avice Bower-Giddings, who died at her home here Saturday evening. Surviving are two daughters, a son, a brother, Dr. O. C. Bowmer, Corsicana; a grandchild and three sisters.

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ANNUAL HOMECOMING ODD FELLOWS HOME WAS WELL ATTENDED

SERVICE FLAG OF EX-STUDENTS PRESENTED; OTHER FEATURES

A service flag for the ex-students in the armed forces was presented at the homecoming and the meeting at the IOOF Home here Sunday afternoon in commemoration of the founding of the Order in North America. The exes elected officers for the ensuing year, and decided upon a closer-knit organization. O. A. Bateman, Fort Worth, former superintendent of the home, a past grand master of Texas and now a member of the board of trustees, was re-elected as editor of the Exes page in The Three Links, IOOF magazine.

The exes voted to continue their homecoming for the Sunday following April 26 each year.

Officers elected by the ex-students association were: Goldean Whitaker Finley, Bonham, president; Lillian Miller, Fort Worth, vice president; Bobbie Arnold, Dallas, secretary, and Marie Goodloe, Dallas, treasurer.

A new set of by-laws will be written, providing for a board of directors consisting of five members. The officers will appoint the board of five directors for this year, but they will be elective hereafter.

The musical program and readings given at the auditorium by the students was directed by Mrs. Joel C. Trimble of Corsicana.

Many Stars on Flag.

Mr. Bateman presented the service flag, the gift of the Tarrant County Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, containing five gold and 135 blue stars representing the exes now in the armed forces. He stated there were 15 or 20 more blue stars to be added. This number, Bateman said, did not include the husbands of girls from the Home.

Among officials present other than Bateman were J. T. Bobbitt, Hillsboro, trustee; S. M. Williams, Dallas, grand secretary of the Texas Grand Lodge, and others.

T. H. Streich, 70, of Houston, who was the first student in the Home after its founding in 1886, was present. He was 12 years old when admitted and remained in the home for four years. He is a barber and has been a member of the IOOF since he was 21 years of age. Mr. Streich is now a member of Lone Star Lodge No. 1 in Houston, the first to be organized in Texas. He is visiting Mrs. J. M. McDaniel of Corsicana, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Horn, the first superintendent and matron of the Home after its establishment.

SIAMESE TWINS ARE BORN TO WOMAN IN PHOENIXVILLE, PA.

PHOENIXVILLE, Pa., May 1.—(AP)—Siamese twins were born here yesterday to a 24-year-old widow. The children and mother were reported in good condition today.

"Cute little blonde girls," a nurse said. But the attending physician reported they would never walk; that one showed signs of bad circulation; that they could never be separated; that if one died, the other would follow within a few hours—possibly minutes.

"Oh, bosh!" said the mother, Mrs. Mary Stierly, when informed of the birth. Her husband, Harold, a war plant worker, was killed in a motorcycle accident two months ago.

The girls weigh 12 pounds, are joined together at the pelvis, have a single alimentary tract, and their inner legs are joined together terminating in a single foot with only one toe. The outer legs, torsoes and heads are perfectly formed.

One child is much smaller than the other. It was in the smaller one that bad circulation was detected.

Major James Taylor Been Promoted Rank Lieutenant Colonel

KERENS, Texas, April 28.—Major James E. Taylor has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant-colonel in the U. S. Army, according to information received here by his wife. Col. Taylor, a former member of the Legislature from Navarro county, and former Kerens newspaper editor, is with the U. S. forces in Italy. He was mobilized in November, 1940, when the Navarro county Texas National Guard units were federalized and sent to Camp Bowie.

Twenty-Eight Persons Injured in Bus Crash

DALLAS, May 1—((AP))—Among the twenty-eight persons injured in the collision of a Bowen bus and a commercial oil transport company truck here were the following, all bus passengers:

Joe Salas, 50, and Edolfa Obla, both of Laredo, Texas; Rudolph Soslik, a Camp Polk, La., soldier; Mildred Briggs, Hattiesburg, Miss; the Rev. E. L. Lawton, 45, Borger, Texas; Sgt. R. Summers, Camp Livingston, La.; Mary Porter, 38, and Louise Hunt, both of Ralls, Texas; and Dave King of Brownfield, Texas.

E. L. Lee, Wichita Falls, Texas, the bus driver, suffered fractured ribs.

FAST TRAIN STOPS AT LISSIE, TEXAS, FOR HUTCHINS FAMILY

LISSIE, May 1.—(AP)—The fast train from California ground to a flag stop here this morning and the family of Seaman-Hero Johnnie David Hutchins climbed aboard for a trip to Orange, Texas, where tomorrow his mother will christen a destroyer escort named in his memory.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie M. Hutchins, the parents, and their six children found a crowd of folks from Lissie, Eagle Lake, Columbus and East Bernard, waiting when they reached the station an hour before the station mistress, Mrs. Bertha Smith, flagged down the train.

There was a ceremony in which A. W. Wied, principal, and students of the Liscie school took part, and C. W. Causey, representing ex-service men of Lissie, presented the Hutchins family with a list of donors of $350 to be used for improvements on the homestead which Johnnie's death benefit enabled his family to buy.

The improvements, Mr. and Mrs. Hutchins were told, were to be another memorial for Johnnie, who saved his ship from a Japanese torpedo as he slumped, dying, over the helm.

For his heroism near far-off New Guinea, Johnnie was awarded posthumously the Congressional Medal of Honor. At Orange, tomorrow, his mother will christen the USS Johnnie Hutchins as it slides down the ways at Consolidated Steel Corps. yards.

The Pullman pulled up in front of the Lissie station at 7:30 a. m. and the family got aboard. As the four-hour trip began the children were quiet but they became excited as they reached Houston and saw the tall buildings.

It was the first train ride for Marion and Myrtle, the two-year old twins; Howard, 5; Elsie, 9; Elizabeth, 12, and Fay Eetta, 16, and the first since their honeymoon 25 years ago for Mr. and Mrs. Hutchins.

MRS. J. M. WILLIAMSON DIED OKLAHOMA CITY; BURIAL IN MERIDIAN

Mrs. H. F. Marr received a message Monday, informing her of the death of Mrs. J. M. Williamson of Meridian. Mrs. Williamson died Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. Brauer, in Oklahoma City, and the funeral will be held Tuesday at 3 p. m. in Meridian.

Mrs. Williamson was the mother of W. C. Willimason of Iraan and he and Mrs. Williamson and daughter, Parlance, will attend the funeral.

Mrs. W. C. Williamson is the former Bonedette Marr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Marr.

California Girl And Aviation Cadet Wed Here On Saturday

Miss Audene Ann Vargas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Vargas, Sacramento, Cal., and A-C George F. Holser, Los Angeles, Cal. were married Saturday afternoon at the manse of the First Presbyterian church with Rev. W. R. Hall, pastor, performing the ceremony. The young couple were attended by A-C and Mrs. Harold Ferguson.

Cadet Holser is stationed at Corsicana Field, Air Activities of Texas. Mrs. Holser will remain here until her husband completes his training at the local field.

General Clark Is Honored On Birthday

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY IN ITALY, May 1.—(AP)—Two hundred officers and men, including eight generals, quietly surrounded Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark's billet at dawn today and congratulated him on his 48th birthday, while a band played "Happy Birthday."

Clark, commander of the Fifth Army, appeared in slippers and trench coat with a surprised look on his face to accept the greetings.

Dawson Precinct Chairman Resigns

A. M. Moore, Democratic precinct chairman at Dawson, has resigned, and Joe B. Davis has been appointed to fill our his unexpired term by P. M. Gladney, county Democratic executive committee chairman.

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By JAMES MARLOW AND GEORGE ZIELKE

WASHINGTON, May 1—((AP))—We're not mad at the guy, but he got us into a tizzy, which is between a chill and a sweat, and he left us there. And at the end, maybe, we got him into a tizzy, too.

His name, not Kelly. We'll call him Kelly. Nice guy when you know him. Great kidder. Keep you on the defensive, though, if you don't watch out. He's a Government information man. Not typical. Something special.

One of the big industries comes under his agency. Been so hard hit for manpower its tongue's hanging out. The army and navy issued a statement showing it was being hit harder than anyone knew.

Kelly has the figures on manpower for the industry. We called him. Never had spoken to him before. Asked him what about the army-navy statement. Kelly said "what about it?"

We said "their figures are pretty big." Kelly said "are they?" we said "aint they? Kelly said "never heard of them.' we said "the statement was issued a week ago." Kelly said "I still never heard of it." We said "it was in all the papers." Kelly said "I aint interested.'

He had us there. We thought, maybe this is how he has his fun. We said we just wanted to compare his totals with the army-navy totals and then ask questions.

Kelly said he'd get his totals. Sound of Kelly telling someone to bring the figures. Kelly came back on the phone.

"All right, got a pencil," Kelly said. "Here's the totals. Wait a minute.

Kelly stopped. Sound of Kelly telling someone "this is the wrong sheet.' He came back on the phone. He said "I aint got the totals on this sheet. I got somebody in the office. Call me back in five minutes?"

We called him back in fifteen minutes.

"Now, listen" Kelly said. "Are you trying to devil me?"

That stopped us. We could hear Kelly laughing So we laughed. So it was a gag all the time. We got along fine then, had quite a conversation But Kelly made the totals sound pretty complicated. We told Kelly we ought to go over to see him and go over the figures. He said that was a good idea.

We said "We'll be over in the morning."

"Wait a minute, "Kelly said. Don't rush me. Make it afternoon."

We went over the next afternoon. Kelly is a middle-aged man with a strong handshake. He talked twenty minutes about his manpower troubles. He talked very rapidly, covering a lot of ground, and then he stopped and said "don't keep sitting there looking at me with a dead pan. I'll get the figures."

He brought forth figures, totals and memoranda. Every few minutes he though of new figures and memoranda and ducked into the next office for them. There were too many figures. Pretty soon we bogged down. Kelly, too.

He said he'd settle all this and get the statistician. He ducked into the next office and came back with a fat man who had a sliderule and all the answers.

The fat man gave us the answers, one, two, three. Then the fat man began to worry. He took back all the answers, said we couldn't use them. Kelly helped him.

Soon, we said, "we don't have any stuff left." Kelly said "that's all right, but dont mention us."

Miss Chrisy Bergeson has returned to Texas State College following a week-end visit in the home of her mother, Mrs. Merle W. Bergeson.

Cecil C. McFall, Jr. Awarded Air Medal

Cecil C. McFall, Jr., Aviation Radioman First class, USNR, of Mexia, Tex., has been awarded the Air Medal for meritorious achievement during the Battle of Tarawa.

McFall, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McFall, reside at 800 East Hopkins St., Mexia, received the decoration from Rear Admiral Frederick Carl Sherman, USNR, West Coast Fleet Air Commander, in a recent ceremony at the U. S. Naval Air Station, San Diego.

The Texas bluejackets, a combat crewman attached to an air group, took part in five attacks on Bititu Island, Tarawa atoll.

"As a result of these attacks, carried out against enemy anti-aircraft fire," the citation accompanying his medal declared, "ground installations on the island were completely devastated.

"His performance of duty contributed greatly to the success of the mission. His courage and skill reflect the greatest credit to the naval service."

McFall also has seen duty at Midway, Rabaul and in the Marshalls.

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DEMOCRATS TO HOLD PRECINCT PRIMARIES SATURDAY, MAY 6TH

Democrats will hold presidential precinct primaries in the 48 voting precincts of Navarro county Saturday, May 6, according to an announcement by P. M. Gladney, Navarro county Democratic chairman. Delegates to the county presidential convention in Corsicana Tuesday, May 9, will be elected at the precinct conventions.

The delegates allowed each precinct, based on the gubernatorial vote of two years ago, are:

Ward 1, Corsicana, 2; Ward 2, Corsicana, 6; Ward 3, Corsicana, 10; Ward 4, Corsicana, 6; Angus, 2; Barry, 2; Blooming Grove, 4; Black Hills, 1; Bazette, 1; Birdston, 1; Cade, 1; Cryer Creek, 1; Chatfield, 2; Corbet, 1; Dresden, 1; Dawson, 7; Eureka, 2; Zion's Rest, 3; Frost, 5; Kerens, 7; Drane, 1; Emhouse, 2; Montfort 1.

Mildred, 2; Navarro Mills, 1; Oak Valley, 1; Powell, 2; Pursley, 2; Petty's Chapel, 1; Purdon, 2; Richland, 3; Currie, 1; Rural Shade, 2; Roane, 2; Rice, 3; Navarro, 2; Rushing, 1; Spring Hill, 1; Tupelo, 1; Winkler, 1; White's Chapel, 2; Emmett, 1; Rodney, 1; Westbrook, 1; El Dorado, 1; Raleigh, 1; Phillips Chapel, 1; Retreat, 1.

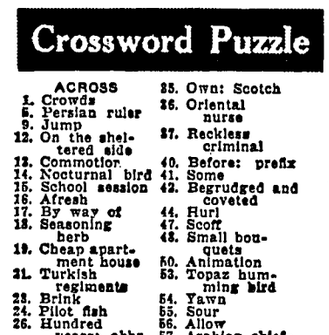
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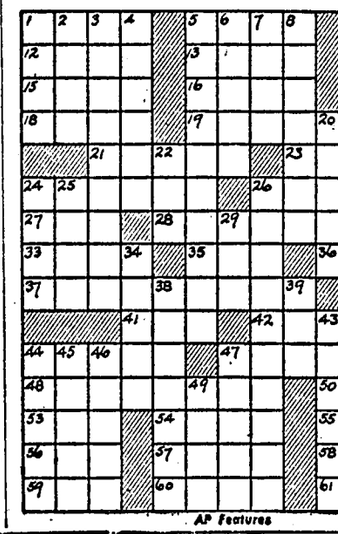
1. Crowds
5. Persian ruler
9. Jump
12. On the sheltered side
13. Commotion
14. Nocturnal bird
15. School session
16. Afresh
17. By way of
18. Seasoning herb
19. Cheap apartment house
21. Turkish regiments
23. Brink
24. Pilot fish
26. Hundred years: abbr.
27. Self
28. Those who guarantee payment
32. Fishing appurtenances
35. Own: Scotch
36. Oriental nurse
37. Reckless criminal
40. Before: prefix
41. Some
42. Begrudged and coveted
44. Hurl
47. Scoff
48. Small bouquets
50. Animation
53. Topaz humming bird
54. Yawn
55. Sour
56. Allow
57. Arabian chieftain
58. Strong taste
59. Before
60. Oceans
61. Other

DOWN

1. Printing forms
2. Genus of the olive tree
3. Pear-shaped oranges
4. Daughter of Cadmus
5. Fixed
6. Sharpening stones
7. Arabian seaport
8. Notwithstanding
9. Remain near
10. Due
11. Cover with metal
20. Southern constellation
22. Exist
24. Tear apart
25. S-shaped molding
26. Instruments for storing electric current
29. Through: prefix
30. Founded on experiment
31. Scarce
32. Cast off
34. Reaches across
38. Hires
39. Number
43. Having a veil
44. Gamut
45. Admirer
46. Angry
47. Rich brown color
49. Plucky
51. Winglike processes of a fish
52. Margin



Solution Friday's Puzzle.



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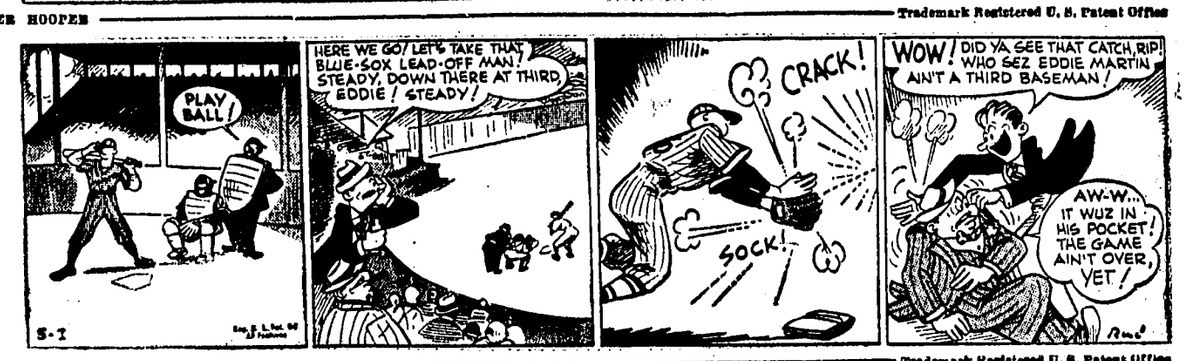
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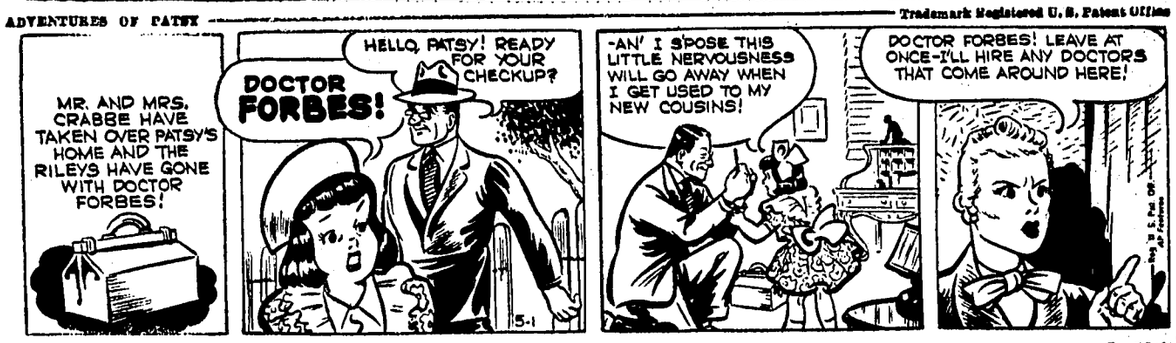
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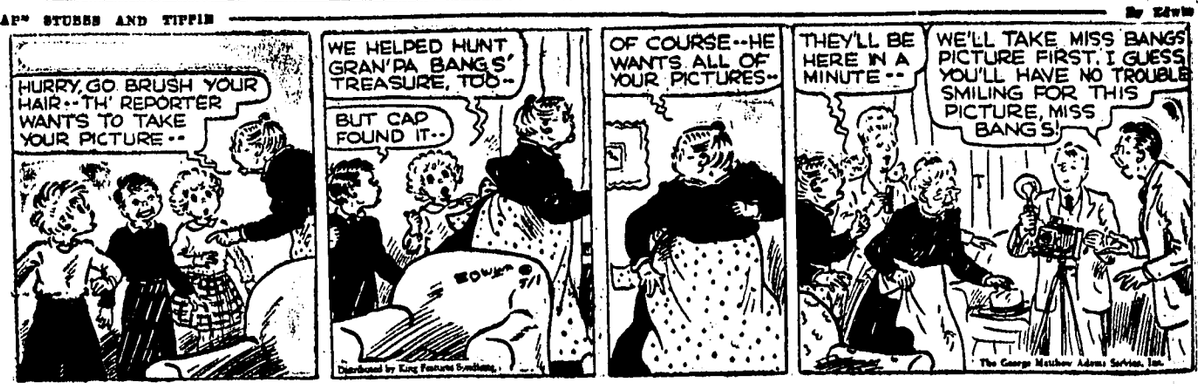
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"CAP" STUBBS AND TIFFIN — By Edwin



Caught Big Fish With Little Hook At Lake Halbert

G. M. Connell related a "Believe It or Not" story Saturday morning and had the proof to back up his statement.

Connell had a 35-pound catfish he snared at Lake Halbert with a perch hook on a line. The hook was about one inch long and caught in the corner of the large fish's mouth.

Connell, who resides at 916 South Fourteenth street, said he worked with the big catfish more than an hour before landing him.

The hook was still in the mouth of the catch when exhibited at the Daily Sun office.

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PACIFIC WAR

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pinned down a Nipponese column near Mihsien, southwest of Chenghsien, and are inflicting heavy casualties.

Chungking headquarters reported a new enemy offensive in Northern China apparently aimed at helping other Japanese columns break the Chinese hold on a 150-mile segment of the north-south Peiping-Hankow railroad. This new drive, Chinese headquarters said, has reached the vicinity of Yingshang, 120 miles east of the railroad and 150 miles northeast of Hankow.

Ground fighting, meager as it was, subsided in the Southwest Pacific with the capture of the big Dutch New Guinea base of Hollandia and the battle baton was passed to airmen who smacked enemy targets far to the northwest.

Fifth air force planes hammered two Japanese airstrips in the Schouten Islands 250 miles northwest of Hollandia, wrecked installations with a 77-ton shower and destroyed possibly 20 enemy planes.

Other planes pounded Wewak, New Guinea, with an 85-ton blow, hit Rabaul, with 30 tons and the Hansa Bay coast of New Guinea with 26 tons.

American warships boldly steamed 120 miles northwest of Hollnadia to pump 75 tons of explosives into Japanese installations at Wake Island, after planes had raked the area with a 51-ton assault.

Goings and Comings Of Fairfield Folk

FAIRFIELD, April 29.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lane and sons spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parkey at Bonham.

Mrs. R. A. McBay and Mildred visited friends in Pittsburg over the week end.

Mrs. Leslie McGuyer of Waco is spending the week here with relatives.

John Willard of Houston visited his family here during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Sawyer and twins of Houston are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Childs.

Rev. and Mrs. N. K. Bigham of Port Arthur visited friends and relatives here last week end.

Wayne Terrell of Waco is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Terrell.

Mrs. Olive Chavers is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chavers in Houston this week.

Mrs. J. J. McGilberry of Bedias is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Linnenberg.

Mrs. Johnnie Brown and Mrs. R. F. Rutland of Dallas are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Emmett.

Mrs. Vernon Willard, Mrs. Colon Willard and Mrs. Steward Whitaker were Corsicana visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Loyd Awalt of Dallas visited her mother, Mrs. S. V. Ivy over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Daniel were in Waco Tuesday.

Billie McFadin of Fort Worth is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. McFadin.

Mrs. E. J. Gilbert of Houston visited friends here Monday.

Miss Ruth Hunter of Navasota is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hunter.

Condia Robertson of Freeport visited relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. Ellen Nettle and Betty Ann of Dallas spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Stewart and children were in Dallas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Radford of Palestine spent Thursday here with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Radford.

Reggie Newell spent the week end visiting friends and relatives in Corsicana.

Herbert Parker and Sonnie Sessions were in Corsicana Saturday.

Lt. and Mrs. George Fryer and Charles left Monday for Kingman, Ore., where Lt. Fryer will be stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Shanks of Waco visited relatives here this week.

Pfc. Eric Blackmon, who is stationed at Camp Bowie spent the wek end here with his wife and son.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Kirgan and Richard visited in Henderson during teh week end.

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Social Revue

George DeLafosse of Albany and Roy DeLafosse of Kilgore were visitors in the home of their mother, Mrs. C. H. DeLafosse, this week.

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Corp. Thomas E. Wilson is returning to Camp Roberts, Calif., on Saturday following a visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wilson.

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Pfc. Clyde W. Wilson will return to Pampa Army Air Field over the week-end following a visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilson.

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Rev. Maggart B. Howell of Kerens was a Corsicana visitor on Thursday.

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Capt. and Mrs. Grover Heimans and daughter, Ginger, left today for San Antonio following a visit in the home of Mrs. Heimans' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Williamson.

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Mesdames J. K. Bradley of Rice, O. K. Vinson of Barry and J. E. Davis of Dawson were in Corsicana on Thursday evening to attend the PTA Banquet at the High School.

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Capt. and Mrs. E. L. Kirkland and daughter, Lynn Beverly, of Fort Sill, Okla., are enjoyng a four-day leave in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kirkland and Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Bounds.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Foster spent the week-end in Galveston and were accompanied home by Mr. Foster's sister, Mrs. Frank Cameron, and little daughter, Phyllis Ann, for a visit with her parents, Judge and Mrs. A. E. Foster.

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Mrs. Sam H. Foster and little son, Charles, left Monday for a month's visit in Los Angeles and other California points.

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Miss Marguerite Mizell, who spent twenty years as a missionary in China, is a guest in the home of Mrs. Glynn Johnston. Miss Mizell plans to return to China in June, having booked passage on a Portuguese vessel.

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Mrs. J. Prince of Malakoff spent the week-end in the homes of Mesdames D. P. Prince and Jas. H. Pitts.

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Mr. and Mrs. K. L. McKeown left for Dallas Sunday afternoon for a visit with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Simpson and new daughter, Sylvia Ann, who arrived on Monday, April 24th. Mr. McKeown has returned home but Mrs. McKeown will remain in Dallas for a several days' visit.

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Fred Marberry, who is connected with the State Railway Commission at Austin, spent the week-end with his family here.

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Lt. Van G. Elkins and Mrs. Elkins of Waco are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Martin and Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Elkins. Lt. Elkins, who is stationed at Blackland Flying field, in Waco is enterisg his second year as instructor in that field. He will spend his eight-day leave in Corsicana.

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Mrs. Jess Megarity has returned from Waco, where she has been undergoing medical treatment for the past eight weeks.

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J. B. McKnight, local Express Agent, is leaving for Hot Springs, Ark., on sick leave on Tuesday morning.

Sgt. Wm. P. Howard Reported Missing In Action Over Germany

T-Sgt. William P. (Jack) Howard, son of Mrs. C. D. Howard, 110 South Twentieth street, is reported missing over Germany since April 9, according to a telegram received by Mrs. Howard from the war department.

Sgt. Howard has been in the armed services 18 months and has been stationed in England since January. He was a member of a bomber crew and on March 29 had completed 15 missions. His wife resides in San Antonio.

CARD OF THANKS

We are indeed grateful to our many friends who so faithfully assisted us during the illness and death of our devoted husband and father, Thomas M. Fouty. Your expressions of floral offerings and sympathy will be long remembered.

May God Bless each one of you is our prayer.

MRS. THOMAS M. FOUTY AND CHILDREN

Dresden Cemetery Association To Meet

The annual meeting of the Dresden Cemetery Association will be held Friday, May 5. It is to be an all day affair with program at the 11 o'clock hour and a business session in the afternoon. Lunch will be served at noon. All who are interested are urged to attend.

JIM TAYLOR, President...
MARSHALL TATUM, Sec'y.

Information From Navarro County Rationing Board

Strawberry Ceiling Prices—F. O. B. shipping point prices on strawberries have been announced as follows: For the period of April 27 to May 1, ceiling prices are 37 cents per quart, 19 1-2 cents per pint, and 24 1-2 cents per pound. For the period beginning May 2 until the end of the season ceiling prices will be 32 1-2 cents per quart, 16 1-2 cents per pint, and 21 1-2 cents per pound.

The above ceiling prices plus freight and protective service result in the delivered price to a wholesale receiving point. Service produce wholesalers are permitted to use the following markups: On a crate of 24 pints an 80 cents markup, on a crate of 24 qarts a $1 20 markup.

Retailers are allowed a markup of 34 per cent over their net cost. Strawberries purchased at shipping point prior to effective date of April 27, are not subject to regulation and can be cleaned up at purchase price except of course the wholesaler cannot exceed markups shown above, nor can retailers markup over 34 per cent.

As stated in a release from the local rationing board last week, the delivered price on strawberries is the FOB prices, plus freight from the shipping point to the wholesale receiving point, and the actual cost of protective services. However, there has been some question as to what "freight' is and in answer the Dallas district office states the following:

"On the East Texas berries the motor freight tariff 1-A, as approved by the Texas Railroad commission is used. In the case of Dallas, this is 50 cents a hundred from Winnsboro or Tyler to Dallas. As the movement of strawberries from East Texas is customarily without protective services, there is no protective service to be added.

"On the Louisiana berries the freight express rate of $1.35 per hundredweight, plus the protective service actually paid is used.

"On the Arkansas berries the SWM tariff number 15, item 5300 and 1-C basis class 50, rate from Bald Knob, Ark., for this particular part of the season is used. Later on, the movement will be from Springdale, Ark., however, the same basis of freight rate is to be utilized.

"The shipping weights which are being used are as follows: for a crate of pints. 23 pounds; for a crate of quarts, 46 pounds.

"Regardless of how the strawberries may be transported, the maximum price is to be based on the above methods of establishing the rates.

"Strawberries are to be community priced at retail effective May 4, throughout the entire district. Retailers will conform to the instructions printed at the top of the Community price list for fresh fruits and vegetables.'

PRISONERS

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tunnel which started under a hutment within the stockade and came out under a hutment west of the stockade.

The tunnell was 60 feet long and eight feet underground. It was sturdily braced with timbers and electrically lighted. It had been dug over a period of three months; dirt from it had been carefully scattered around the interior of the stockade so as to leave no clue.

In less than a week the nine were back inside the stockade. Two were caught at San Angelo, Texas; three at Ballinger, Texas, two at Winters, Texas, and two at El Paso.

During April, escapes were reported at Alva, Okla.; Huntsville, Texas; Mevia, Texas; Fort D. A. Russell, Near Marfa, Texas; Whitesboro, Texas; Brady, Texas; Camp Howze at Gainesville, Texas, and Fort Sumner, N. M.

The two Nazis who got away from Fort Sumner last week were recaptured last Saturday night.

Not all prisoners of war appear anxious to escape. Two Germans, seeking to goldbrick on a work detail outside a Texas camp, went to sleep in the brush. When they awakened they found they were alone. They headed at once for a farmhouse where they made known their predicament to a housewife. At their request she telephoned the camp and asked that a truck be sent.

They asked for food and she gave them tea and cookies. She was highly nervous about the whole situation, however, so the guests departed. The woman called the sheriff at the next town who sped to the scene and hailed the men.

"We're just walking down the road to meet the truck," one of the prisoners explained. "You can go back—we don't need you."

The sheriff, needed or not, stayed until the truck arrived.

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Courthouse News

District Court.

The following have been summoned as petit jurors for the sixth week of the April term of court for the week beginning Tuesday, May 9:

J. R. Hart, Corsicana; J. M. Fields, Frost; H. C. Davis, Richland; O. M. Fuller, Blooming Grove; J. W. Edens, Corsicana; Tim Anderson, Corsicana 3; J. A. Merrell, Jr., Frost; W. H. Hayes, Corsicana; C. E. Frost, Wortham 1; M. S. Miles, Rice; E. J. Hall, Corsicana; C. C. Adams, Frost; D. B. Palmer, Frost; J. S. Hicks, Corsicana 1; Floyd Calame, Wortham 1; W. T. Arnett, Barry 1; Roscoe McConnico, Kerens; M. C. Moore, Dawson; Hollis Pitts, Blooming Grove; W. B. Turns, Navarro; W. C. Nokes, Corsicana 1; Tom Petty, Corsicana; J. E. Crutchfield, Mertens 1; W. B. Boyett, Purdon; W. L. McClendon, Richland; G. E. Moore, Frost; J. H. Sutton, Corsicana 1; J. S. Finch, Jr., Corsicana; P. P. McKinney, Corsicana; John H. Dean, Frost; H. J. Powell, Corsicana 1; C. W. Gordon, Frost; Louis Daniels, orsicana; W. B. Roberts, Richland 1; E. E. Pike, Corsicana 1; Robert L. Cason, Corsicana.

The jury for the week was excused until Wednesday morning.

Estell Mae Taylor vs. Charlie Taylor, divorce granted.

Louis Morgan vs. Zora Morgan, divorce granted.

District Clerk's Office.

K. C. Williams vs. Easley May Williams, divorce.

A. L. Bain vs. Navarro County Levee Improvement District No. 8, suit on interest coupons.

M. P. Parhams vs. Lillian Parhams, divorce.

Arthur Sample vs. Gertrude Sample, divorce.

Lorene aWitsford vs. Walter Waitsford, divorce.

Lewis Stewart vs. Minnie Stewart, divorce.

Earl R. Brannon vs. Allie Odeh Brannon, divorce.

There were the following 41 civil cases filed during April:

Application for birth certificate, 1; try title and damages 1; trespass to try title, 1; habeas corpus, 1; to set aside award of industrial accident board, 1; trespass to try title and sequestration, 1; injunction, 1; partition, 1; suit on interest coupon, 1; divorce, 32.

County Court.

A white woman was adjudged of unsound mind by a jury in county court Thursday.

County Clerk's Office.

There were 41 marriage licenses issued in the county clerk's office during April.

Commissioners' Court.

Reports of county home demonstration agents were received and filed and claims were allowed except as noted on claim docket.

Commissioners fear widespread damage to roads and bridges by high water.

One complaint was said to have been received from East Navarro county relative to appearance of wolves in that area. Discussion on the situation involving the Corsicana-Navarro county ehalth unit are to be held within the near future, it wa sindicated, as well as questions involving the county farm.

All members were present.

Sheriff's Office.

One was arrested on an intoxication charge, two for affray and one for aggravated assault.

County, precinct, state, highway patrol and county attorney's office personnel participated in a liquor raid Friday afternoon several miles East of Corsicana. Officers said they seized six cases of beer and arrested one man.

A young girl arrested by city officers was turned over to county officers.

There were 75 prisoners lodged in the Navarro county jail during April.

Marriage License

Duane L. Trahm and Mary J. Middleborn.

Almer Lee Grice and Alvin Goldman.

Joe P. French and Edna Ive.

Harry Tracy Garmon and Millie Marie Davidson.

Warranty Deeds.

Mrs. Mina Rooves to F. C. Pritchett et ux part of block 328, Corsicana, $1,400.

Tom B. McWhirter to Tom Couch, interest in 103 acres Prewitt and M. Whitaker surveys, $200.

Carro Daviss Kelton et vir to T. L. Tyson, 1-2 interest in lot 2, block 528-A, Oak Lawn Addition, Corsicana, $2,125.

Mrs. Dana Katherine Love, et vir, to M. H. Statham, Lot 3, Block A, R. R. Raymond Addition, Corsicana, $4,200.

R. W. Boyd et ux, to W. M. Wilbank, et ux, 3 acres of the James Powell One-Third League survey, $10 and other considerations.

W. W. Wilbank, et ux, to R. W. Boyd, et ux, 2.62 acres of the James Powell One-Third league survey, $10 and other considerations.

Edward M. Graham et ux to H. Birmingham, lot 14, block 526-D, Ficklin Addition, Corsicana, $375 and other considerations.

H. Eugene Massey et ux to Mrs. Janie Chapman, lot 7 ,block 417, Corsicana, $2,500.

Guardian's Deed.

Leslie E. Kolton, Jr., guardian of the estates of Carrolyn Sweatmon Kolton and Claire Sweatmon Kolton, minors, to T. L. Tyson, 1-2 interest in lot 2, block 528-A, Oak Lawn Addition, Corsicana, $2,125.

Oil and Gas Lease.

S. E. Johnston et ux to John W. Hooser et al, 175 acres Joel P. Harden survey, $1.

Receiver's Deed.

J. S Simkins, receiver, to Isaac Taylor, interest in the west 1-2 of lot 6, block 13, College Hill Addition, Corsicana, $50.

Justice Court.

One was fined on an improper registration charge and one for operating a truck without a commercial license by Judge Hayden Paschall.

Three were fined on intoxication charges, one for vagrancy, one for affray and two for operating motor vehicles without commercial operators licenses by Judge A. E. Foster.

Two were fined on drunkeness charges an done for affray during teh week end by Judge A. E. Foster.

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Market Report

Local Markets

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Texas Spot Markets

DALLAS, May 1.—(AP)—Cotton 20.69; Galveston 20.69; Houston 20.76.

Grains and Provisions

Fort Worth Cash Grain

FORT WORTH, May 1.—(AP)—Wheat No 1 hard according to protein and billing 1.71 1-2 77.

Sorghums No. 2 yellow milo or No. 2 white kafir jer 100 lbs 2.40-47.

Oats, corn and barley at northern shipping point ceiling prices plus freight.

Livestock

Fort Worth Livestock

FORT WORTH, May 1.—(AP)—Cattle 2,300; calves 600; fully steady; good and choice fed steers and yearlings 14.00-15.00; beef cows mostly 8.50-10.50 with a few smooth fed cows to 11.50; good and choice fed calves 13.00-14.50.

Hogs 2,400; butcher hogs unchanged on 270 lb and lower weights; heavies weak to 25 lower; butcher hogs topped at 13.65 but most good and choice 200-270 lb weights bright 13.55; good and choice 280-350 lb butchers 12.00-13.00; packing sows 11.00 down.

Sheep 15,000; shorn lambs and ewes strong to25 higher; spring lambs steady; good and choice shorn lambs with No. 2pelts 13.50; spring lambs 14.00 down; good ewes with No. 2 pelts 7.25.

Personal 5

NOTICE—I wish to announce that a meeting in the interest of the aged pensioners of Navarro county will be held at the Court House in the county court room on Friday evening at 8:00 p.m. on May 5th. This meeting will be strictly a non-political meeting and it is imperative that all aged pensioners, both men and ladies, be present. Every one else who is interested in the welfare of the aged mothers and fathers of our county have a special invitation to attend. Do not forget the date. Come and bring some one with you. Respectfully submitted. JOE E. (BLIND) DANIEL.

Legal Notice

NO. 23,467

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Mrs. Jessie Hawk, GREETINGS:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 29th day of May, A. D., 1944, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Navarro County, at the Court House in Corsicana, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 14th day of April, 1944. The file number of said suit being No. 23467. The names of the parties in said suit are:

Mrs. Mattie Goodman as Plaintiff.
Mrs. Jessie Hawk as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit:

The plaintiff, Mrs. Mattie Goodman, sues to have judgment for the title and possession of property, for her damages, for costs of suit and for such other and further relief as she may be entitled to either at law or in equity. Plaintiff sues to recover title to a part of Block 2 of J. R. Barry's Addition to the City of Corsicana, in Navarro County, Texas, same being Block 212 according to the Official Map of the City of Corsicana, and being a lot 66 feet front on West 7th Avenue in the City of Corsicana and the same lot as was conveyed by Mrs. Mattie Goodman and others to Mrs. Jessie Hawk by deed dated November 8, 1923, and of record in Vol. 276 Page 22 of the Deed Records of Navarro County, Texas, and the Plaintiff claims title to said tract of land by virtue of peaceable and adverse possession of the same for more than three years, and for more than five years and for more than ten years, and the Plaintiff claims title to said tract of land under the three, five and ten years Statutes of Limitation, which Statutes are specially pleaded.

Issued this the 14th day of April, 1944.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Corsicana, Texas, this the 14th day of April A. D., 1944.

E. B. DAWSON, Clerk,
District Court, Navarro County, Texas.
(SEAL)
By VIVION WALKER, Deputy.

Political Announcements

Names listed below are candidates for the offices designated, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

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J. R. Donnell.
Hayden Paschall.

DISTRICT JUDGE.
A. P. Mays.

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F. B. (Frank) Taylor.
H. M. Nicholson.
J. M. (Marshall) Tatum.
C. L. Tillman

CONSTABLE PRECINCT No 1.
T. J. (Tom) Roe (second term).

Market Report

Local Markets

Cotton 20.61
Cotton seed $56.00

Cotton

Texas Spot Markets

DALLAS, May 1.—(AP)—Cotton 20.69; Galveston 20.69; Houston 20.76.

Grains and Provisions

Fort Worth Cash Grain

FORT WORTH, May 1.—(AP)—Wheat No 1 hard according to protein and billing 1.71 1-2 77.

Sorghums No. 2 yellow milo or No. 2 white kafir jer 100 lbs 2.40-47.

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Livestock

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Announcements

Lost or Strayed 3

LOST OR STRAYED from T. B. Derden's farm at Cryer Creek two 2-year-old steers, branded O with bar under. Finder please notify T. B. DERDEN and receive reward. Signed T. B. Derden.

LOST—Four year old brown mare mule. Scared on both shoulders. Left my place March 10. Notify JEWELL McCARTER, Corsicana, Texas, Route No. 5.

LOST—Red steer fresh dehorned, branded O on left hip and E on the side, last Friday. Please notify KEELING CASH GROCEY, Wortham, Route 1, and receive $5 reward.

Wanted 7

WANTED—Will rent small pasture or will pay so much per head each month for good pasture. Six or eight head of cattle. HENRY B. WALKER, Corsicana. Phone 739.

WANT TO BUY farm tractor; give full description and price. Mail to TRACTOR, P. O. Box 622.

Business Service

Mattress Maker 10

SPECIAL NOTICE—We will give a discount on all mattress work through the rest of April. We can make any kind of mattress you want, renovate or rebuild your old mattress—specializing in rebuilding inner spring beds, relaying Sealy mattresses, making feather folds, anad repairing gliders. We have also a complete stock of new mattresses on hand at all times. One day service. LANE MATTRESS FACTORY, 1000 S. 15th St. Phone 1186; night phone 1028. A. M. Lane and Horace Hayes.

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Miscellaneous Service 11

AUTHORIZED Service on G-E and Electrolux refrigerators. Parts and service on all makes of washing machines. Will pay highest cash prices for refrigerators and washing machines. BUCK'S APPLIANCE SHOP, next door to Ideal Theater. Phone 2000-W. A. A. (Buck) Copeland, owner.

Livestock

Baby Chicks 25

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Livestock for Sale 27

FOR SALE—Registered Jersey bull 3 1-2 years old. Priced right. See NATHAN CROUCH at J. M. Dyer Company.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Several choice young Jersey milk cows, fresh and heavy springers. See or phone A. H. BONNER, North Beaton Street. Phone 73 or 980, Corsicana.

FOR SALE—Two young mare mules ready to work; also 100 bu. good corn. IVAN ROSENBERG. Phone 519.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—The best two year old saddle colt in the country. From a real saddle mare and the Toten horse. Has been ridden about ten times. Can really saddle. Can be seen at Wilson Wagon Yard. Price $150.00. See ARTHUR BOLDIN at City Market. Phone 806.

FOR SALE—Good work mare 9 years old, weight 1000 lbs., gentle and sound. Price $75.00. W. T. WATSON, Fairfield. Phone 56-F12.

YOUNG Saddle horse and saddle, both hourse and saddle in good condition. $100 for both. See NEWTON ROMAN, Routae 3, Corsicana.

Poultry 28

FOR SALE—Limited supply of baby beef Turkey eggs each week 35 cents. Poults 70 cents; also U. S. State approved Pullomma tested Ancona chicks $10 per 100, eggs $3.50 per 100; also two smfooth mouth block-built mules, weight 1000 pounds. H. V. ELKINS, Blooming Grove, Route 1.

BABY BEEF Turkey Eggs from certified Delta Farm. Tom and Deiterich hens 25c each at farm. Also three fresh milk cows. MRS. EARL M. DAWSON, Frost, Texas.

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Food Specials 29

FOR SALE—Plenty of pure hog lard, snow white. It requires no ration points this month. Open aftere 1 p.m. A. H. BONNER GROCERY AND MARKET, North Beaton St. Phone 9580, Corsicana.

Notice

The annual meeting of the Birdston Cemetary Association will be held on May 2nd, Tuesday, at the cemetary near Streetman. Everyone urged to be here and bring your basket lunch.

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210 acre stock farm with fair imp., 100 acres native grass, about eight miles west Corsicana, $45 acre.

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Farm Property 50

FOR SALE—Ideal stock farm—ideally situated on Corsicana - Hillsboro paved Highway No. 22, fifteen miles west Corsicana and one mile west Blooming Grove. 136 acres. Plenty shade, year round water, variety native grasses. Loan of $13000.00 with small annual payments can be paid off or carried to suit buyer. Immediate possession. For quick sale, $3000.00. CECIL JOHNSON, Groesbeck, Texas. Phone 117.

FOR SALE—150 acres southwest Blooming Grove, 100 acres Bermuda grass pasture. Balance in cultivation. Good fence, two tanks, two wells, windmill water system. Good improvements. $45 an acre. See J. B. WHORTON, Blooming Grove.

FOR SALE—Selling out, going into the army. 42 acre farm and cattle. See W. H. BEEMAN, 1 mile west of State Home after 5:30 in the evening.

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Merchandise

Articles for Sale 30

FOR SALE—Chicken brooders and small chicken coops, good price. See at ROSS LUMBER CO., 212 East 7th avenue, Corsicana, across from Bus Station.

I WANT TO SELL my crop on the Tatum farm, Highway 22. All corn planted and plowed; cane sowed, and cotton land rebedded; also have 23 acres of average pasture. See or phone me at once. HARREL GRAY at the farm five miles west of Corsicana on Highway 22, Route 1, Corsicana.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Real nice prewar upholstered living room divan; can be let down into bed with coil springs. 324 S. 30th St.

FOR SALE—Building to be moved off the lot at Richland, 14 by 22, outside sheet iron, inside shiplap; four windows, two doors. E. F. MINOR, Corsicana. Phone 1313-W.

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Seed, Feed Implements 35

FOR SALE—First year improved Hurley Rowden cotton seed. JOHNNIE PATTERSON, Route 2, 1-2 mile off end of Black Hill slab.

FOR SALE—Good clean John Deere tractor, Model H, have only made two crops with same; will sell it right. CLYDE CROCKER, one mile East of Blooming Grove.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Riding cultivator, in good condition. 324 S. 30th St., Corsicana.

FOR SALE—W. C. Allis Chalmers tractor, complete with two row equipment, in first class condition. Inquire at FARMERS SUPPLY COMPANY, 312-14 North Commerce St. Phone 146, Corsicana.

TRACTOR FOR SALE—Used Ford tractor, with complete equipment. Good condition in every way. $1150.00. L. A. CAPPOCK, 4 miles northwest of Emhouse, P. O. Box, Emhouse, Texas.

FOR SALE—Arkansas Rowden cotton. O. W. IVIE, near Corbet. Mail address Pursley, Texas.

FOR SALE—Bryant Mebane Cotton Seed from block seed $1.50 per bu., or Bryant Rowdin Cotton Seed (first year) $1.50 per bu. FRANK CART

MRS. MARY K. LEE DIED HERE MONDAY; RITES ARE PENDING

Mrs. Mary Katherine Lee died at her residence on North Main street, Monday afternoon. Funeral arrangements are pending word from relatives.

Surviving are two sons, Ray E. Lee, Camp Shelby, Miss.; John Lee, U. S. Navy; four daughters, Mrs. James Glover, Long Beach, Cal.; Mrs. D. F. Fitzgerald, Springtown; Mrs. H. B. Chism, Houston; Mrs. J. H. Colley, Los Angeles, Calif.; her mother, Mrs. J. M. McWilliams, Corsicana; three brothers, C. E. McWilliams, Corsicana; T. A. McWilliams, Corsicana; W. D. McWilliams, and a sister, Miss Annie McWilliams, Corsicana.

Corley's Funeral Home will direct the arrangements.

KNOX

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Body bearers—the military term for active pall bearers—will represent the three branches of the naval service, four each from the enlisted ranks of the navy, coast guard and Marines.

Leading the horse-drawn caisson on the two-mile march to Arlington Cemetery will be first the escort commander, Rear Admiral L. E. Denfeld and his staff, followed by the navy band, battalions of Marines, Bluejackets, Coast Guardsmen and the Women's Services, Waves, Spars and Marines.

Immediately following the military units, in the prescribed procession, come the clergy, then the 16 Honorary pall bearers, the personal flag of the secretary, the caisson with body bearers marching smartly at its side, and the family and friends of Knox.

At the grave ceremonies are turned over almost entirely to the military services—a committal service read by navy Chaplain S. W. Salisbury, a final volley fired by a Bluejacket squad, and taps sounded by a navy bugler

President Roosevelt will be represented by his military and naval aides, Maj. Gen. Edwin M. Watson and Rear Admiral Wilson Brown. The first Lady and Mrs. John Boettiger, daughter of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt, will attend the service.

Members of the Supreme Court also will attend but will not go in a body.

Mrs. Roy R. Neece and daughter, Mrs. W. H. Power, visited Mr. Neese in Dallas Sunday. Mr. Neese is now employed at Dallas.

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KILLED MANY JAPS—Staff Sgt. Woodrow W. Baldwin, U. S. Army, played an important part in the repulses of a Jap offensive on Bougainville Island. He was prominent in two actions and personally accounted for the death of a large number of Japs. The son of William I. Baldwin, Richland, he enlisted in the regular army April 3, 1940. Sgt. Baldwin went overseas May 1943, serving in the New Hebrides and Guadalcanal before landing last November with the 37th Infantry Division, first army unit to invade Bougainville. He wears the Good Conduct Medal and the Combat Infantrymen Badge.

AERIAL

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said that one British plane was missing. British planes also struck unannounced objectives in Western Germans and laid mines in enemy waters.

Action Heavy Every Day.

Counting today British-based planes of the U. S. Army air forces have been over the continent 100 of the 122 days of 1944 and the RAF has pounded enemy targets on 91 nights.

These operations wound up a month which saw at least 100,000 tons of explosives and probably more dropped in Germany and occupied territory by aerial fleets operating from both Italian and British bases.

Lt. Gen. James H. Doolittle said that American fighters and bomber gunners during heavy bomber missions by the U. S. Eighth air force in April knocked out more than 1,300 German fighters—a total "substantially more than the entire German aircraft production for the month."

Comparison Losses.

In a broadcast last night the Eighth air force commander placed the April losses of his command at 359 bombers and 144 fighters. The enemy fighter kill included more than 800 German planes blasted out of the sky in aerial combat and more than 500 destroyed on the ground.

(Doolittle's figures apparently combined the total bag of his own (strategic) air force and the U. S. Ninth (tactical) air force, which furnishes part of the fighter escort for nearly every one of the Eighth's raids, an unofficial check of communiques reported for April indicated. These war bulletins do not separate figures for the two air forces.)

The RAF during April sent heavy bombers out from Britain on 13 nights and they flew a total of around 9,350 sorties at a cost of 215 four-engined bombers. The British bombers dumped more than 34,700 tons of explosives.

J. M. Henry Observes His 86th Birthday

J. M. Henry, pioneer resident of Cosicana, quietly celebrated his 86th birthday at his home here Saturday. Confined to his room for the past 17 weeks, Mr. Henry said that he was not complaining about his physical condition, but that he did miss church services and the association with his legion of friends.

Joe Paul Prince of Malakoff was a week-end visitor in the June Clark Home.

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REVIVAL AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH CLOSED ON SUNDAY

The eight-day revival meeting conducted at the First Baptist church here by Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Dawson of the First Baptist church in Waco, closed Sunday evening.

A baptismal service was conducted following the Sunday evening service.

The Sunday school officers' and workers' supper will be held at the church Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

There were 493 in Sunday school and 102 in BTU.

Eight united with the church Sunday.

NEGRO VOTE

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rity holding of the court reversed are most remote.'

"The answer is for the legislature to meet and repeal the primary election law, and return to the convention system of nominating candidates.'

Repeal of Primary

Morrow and Moody wrote the arguments which basically were keyed on a contention that the party itself, not the state, fixes the qualification of party membership and the state had nothing to do with the Democratic convention of 1932 which declared by resolution that the party was open to membership of "all white citizens' qualified under the constitution and laws.

Attorney General Grover Sellers previously had filed a rehearing motion which is before the court.

The Supreme Court had taken the view in an eight-to-one decision that state statutes so govern party primaries that the primaries become an action of the state and to bar Negroes from participaiton violates the constitution.

The Morrow-Moody argument declared:

"It was not the state of Texas that adopted the resolution x x x. It was an asembly of delegates who had been selected at county conventions by delegates who had been selected at precinct conventions.

"It met with absolute liberty to voice its views by resolution, or otherwise, on public questions. There was no law which limited the right of the convention to determine who should compose its membership or the membership of the political party that it represented.

"It acted by resolution declaring who were entitled to participate in the affairs of the Democratic party—a voluntary organization; it chose its company.'

TEXAS WEATHER

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At Waco, on the Brazos, rainfall over a 48-hour period amounted to 5.73. Corsicana had 3.66 inches, beneficial to crops and pastures

The rainfall extended into deep East Texas and Louisiana.

Crop Destroying Rain.

A crop-destroying, seven and one-eighth inch rain in Houston county, accompanied by hail and strong winds, sent the Trinity, south of Long Lake, on a 21-foot rise. The river still was about 10 feet below flood stage, but observers feared the stream would continue to rise and would overflow during the next few days.

Earlier reports from Grapeland that a dam at Elkhart Lake had broken were denied by Palestine members of the Elkhart Hunting and Fishing Club. They said that only a footbridge across the spillway had collapsed.

Some upland fields were badly washed in the Palestine area, some crops will require replanting.

Heaviest Rain In Years

Houston county's 100acre country club lake dam, damaged, still held despite the area's heaviest rainfall since 1926. No loss of life or injuries were reported and the operation of two oil refineries in the section was unhampered.

Rainfall at Palestine was estimated at from two to three inches and was considered beneficial.

At Waco, Buel J. Adkins was partially paralyzed when struck by lightning as he turned on a radio. Passing motorists rescued John Douglas O'Bryant, ten, when he was washed into a storm sewer by water which flooded Waco streets.

McLennan county bridges, roadbeds and culverts were washed out by rains totaling 2.34 inches Saturday and more than 2.50 inches yesterday while Hillsboro, Temple, Clifton, Grandview and Itasca reported heavy rains.

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position or make an ignominious withdrawal. The enemy's invasion of India has been too strongly ballyhooed for him to withdraw without suffering great losses of face, the spokesman added.

Sixty miles north of Imphal, in the Kohima area, allied troops were reported making further progress to complete the reduction of enemy points of resistance in the vicinity of the village.

Today's communique said allied troops were continuing operations in the Kohima area "in difficult country against strong enemy positions," while to the south in the Imphal sector Japanese resistance stiffened north of Kanglatongbi.

Allied planes again struck targets throughout Burma, it added.

NAVARRO COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION ENDORSES HOWELL

A resolution was unanimously passed at a meeting of the Navarro County Bar Association Monday morning, endorsing Wayne R. Howell as vice president of the State Bar of Texas.

Howell, former judge of the Thirteenth Judicial District Court here, is now assistant general counsel of the M-K-T Railway Company of Texas with headquarters in Dallas. He resigned July 1, 1943, to accept the appointment. The resolution was offered by District Judge A. P. Mays and was seconded by T. L. Tyson.

Officers re-elected were C. W Taylor, president; Jack Thompsin, vice president; J. C. Roe, treasurer, and C. E. McWilliams, secretary.

The annual session of the Bar Association was held in the district courtroom.

WARD'S

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concern had four factories manufacturing paint, farm equipment, carburetors, propellors and gun mounts.

To Submit Affidavits.

Biddle announced he would submit affidavits from these persons and along these lines:

Marvin Jones, the War Food Administrator, who said the firm distributed farm equipment and any reduction in the flow of such machinery would injure the war effort.

Chairman William H. Davis of the War Labor Board, who maintained the labor dispute underlying the case presented a "real and immediate danger" and who contended "unless the dispute is settled quickly, it may spread to other industries" and impair the war effort.

Clifton E. Mann of the treasury department's procurement division who mentioned contracts between the treasury and the company.

Three officials of the War Priorities board, who spoke of Ward applications for war-time priorities.

Charles P. Anderson, who said he was employed in Ward's central repair shop here and who was called upon to show the extent of repair work on "essential equipment."

After hearing Biddle, the judge continued the hearing until this afternoon (2 p. m. Central War time.)

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EUROPEAN WAR

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their Governments and shed the Nazi yoke.

The new American radio in England broadcast to occupied Europe that great Allied armies soon would invade "from the West and South.'

Patrols and artillery were active in Italy but opposing armies still were marking time the Germans apparently abandoned efforts to salvage a destroyer beached, burned and bombed on the French coast after a channel engagement in which the swift new Canadian destroyer Athabaskan was sunk.

The Red Army beat off local German thrusts in old Poland, southeast of Stanislawow and in Romania north of Iasi. Two of three German transports trying to flee beleaguered Sevastopol were sunk. Russian bombers pounded Indritsa near the Latvian border, behind the Central German front.

Germans Acitve in Yugoslavia.

LONDON, May 1.—(AP)—The Germans are launching new offensives along the length and breadth of Yugoslavia, but generally are being held in check, headquarters of Marshal Josip Broz (Tito) said today.

The broadcast bulletin said large Axis forces attacking in the Bihacknin sector 40 miles inland from the Adriatic port of Split were repulsed with heavy losses.

Yugoslav guerillas were credited with damaging rail lines and road arteries and destroying troop trains.

Czechs, Russians Reach Agreement

MOSCOW, May 1.—(AP)—An agreement drafted by the Soviet Union and the Czecho-slovak government-in-exile places in Czech hands the administration of Czech territory liberated by the Red army.

Civil control will be turned over to the Czechs as quickly as militarily practicable, even to the handling of any crimes which might be committed against Russian troops, Andrei J: Vishinsky, Soviet vice comissar for foreign affairs, declared in announcing the agreement.

He said that the supreme Red army commander would be in charge during active military operations.

Negroes Leave For Military Service

Negroes sent to Camp Wolters, Texas, Monday for induction into the army from Navarro County Draft Board No. 1 were Alex Woods, David Nelson, Hertha Jackson, Lush P. Lofton, Melvin Hugh Johnson, Vernie Quincy Day and Fred Curley Mitchell.

Contingents of negroes are to be sent to Dallas Tuesday for induction into the Navy from both Navarro county draft boards.

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